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COUNCIL CHAMBER,
Shanghai, June 1, 1939. 13219

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N. MAAS, *Hon. Secretary.*
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5 O.E.S. Bridge/Mahjongg, For. Y., 3
5 First Church of Christ, Scientist, S'hai., 2nd Lecture, 20 Museum Rd., 6.15
5 Grand Concert of the United Russian Choirs, Lyceum Theatre, 9
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Coming Events

JUNE

7 Jumble S., Limbless Fund, U.C. Hall
8 Royal Asiatic Society Lecture, 5.30
8 Rotary Club, Metropole Hotel, 12.30
8 B.U.S.C., 'The Age of Spenser,' by H.G.B. Perry, Esq. 24 Rte. Ferguson, 5.15
8 Vocal Concert, Bergmann, Broadway Th., 9.15
9 Miss J. Rubinraut's younger pupils, Station XMHD, 5
9 Shanghai Camera Club, Meeting and Lecture, 330 Szechuen Road, 9
10 "B" Coy., S.V.C., No. 1 Platoon, Monthly Dinner, S.V.C. Club, 8
10 Dinner Dance, Floorshow, C.S.F., 8.30
12 Cradle Bridge/Mahjongg, Y.M.C.A., 3
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No. 15/39.

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COUNCIL ROOM,
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Soviet Parliament:

The Meaning of the Word

To the Editor of the
"NORTH-CHINA DAILY NEWS"

SIR,—Mr. Selby-Walker thought it advisable to give me information why Reuter's Agency refers to the "Parliament" in U.S.S.R. It is, says he, because (1) "it is the body that is generally referred to in the English language as the soviet "parliament," and (2) that "the first definition of the word "parliament" in the Concise Oxford Dictionary is "deliberative assembly."

Mr. Selby-Walker certainly knows that such animals as a fine race horse and a pig also "are generally referred to" in all languages as "domestic animals." Yet I do not think he would ever refer to a pig as a racer. The application of the word "parliament" to any "deliberative assembly" does not depend entirely on how it is referred to in the English language but on what kind of a constitution is behind them. Different names of the legislative assemblies in various countries cover different constitutions; this is emphasized by the general use (Reuter Agency not excluding) of native names for the legislative assemblies, as for instance: Reichstag, Storthing, Sobranie, Oouma, Cortes etc. Accordingly the word "parliament," states the Century Dictionary, "is nearly confined to the legislative bodies of Great Britain and its colonies." The French Littré's Dictionary is also of the opinion that the word parliament remains only in Britain.

U.S.S.R. has neither parliament nor constitution in a Western sense of the word. Even the Agency directed by Mr. Selby-Walker makes daily references to the "Dictator" Stalin. It is apparent to all who know exact meaning of the words they use, that both a "Dictator" and a parliament cannot exist together in harmony and peace. Either one or the other must go. In fact the News Agencies have very little, if any, consideration for the various national constitutions. They have created quite a number of "dictators" all over the world, but treat them differently. "Dictator" Stalin, for instance, is an exception. In some mysterious way his "dictatorship" lives in harmony with the "parliament," urgently created by them, apparently for their own use.

Now for the Dictionary Mr. Selby-Walker refers to. "It might interest your correspondent, states he, to know that the first definition of the word "parliament" in the Concise Oxford Dictionary is "deliberative assembly."

Frankly speaking I am not interested at all what the dictionary says or not and I will explain why. Nevertheless I am ready to follow my opponent's reasoning. I know Oxford Dictionary too, but I have found there something quite different to what Mr. Selby-Walker states. The parliament is "An assembly, says it, of representatives of a nation or people having authority to make or repeal laws." Therefore, Mr. Selby-Walker has omitted the last and the most important part of the quotation: "To Make or Repeal Laws." A bit of tail Mr. Selby-Walker deemed it necessary to cut off, is a determining factor, because, whatever assembly it might be, if it has no power or right "to make or repeal laws," it is not a parliament.

It is not a great secret for us what the directors of news agencies have at the back of their minds when they drag out on a broad day-light the new "parliament." It is just a political propaganda. Every Briton, who has no time to make investigations or consult dictionaries — that is majority of them—having read in the newspapers that U.S.S.R. has a parliament would judge it by British standards and make quite a lot of totally wrong deductions, always according his own notions of what parliament should be. This implies: right and power to make laws, freedom of speech and press, freedom of everything else, including the freedom from the "purges" of course.

U.S.S.R. has a decorative institution called "Union Council" which even remotely does not resemble a parliament. If the Reuter's Agency, are, through their agents in U.S.S.R. in a possession of reliable information to the effect that the Soviet constitution has recently been changed in such a manner that this assembly is endowed with the same rights and powers as the British parliament, let them produce this information. It would be far more convincing than all tricks with dictionary quotations.

A RUSSIAN.

Shanghai, June 4.

***The "Shorter Oxford English Dictionary," of which the "Concise" is a very much curtailed abridgment, supports Mr. Selby-Walker's view:—Parliament:—1. the action of speaking, a 'bout' of speaking; a speech; a colloquy; a discussion or debate. 2. A formal conference or council for the discussion of some matter or matters of general importance, *spec.* applied to great councils of the early Plantagenet kings 3.—the definition to which A RUSSIAN clings,—4. name of legislative bodies in the colonies, *and in other countries.* 5. Applied to various consultative assemblies; (a) one formerly held by tinners in the Stannaries, 1574; (b) one of the members of the Middle or the Inner Temple.—ED.

Iranian New Year:

An Astronomical Date

To the Editor of the
"NORTH-CHINA DAILY NEWS"

SIR,—Your correspondent, MARGARET ATTWATER, in her letter appearing in the June 1 issue of your most valued paper, has made reference to my article which was published in your columns on March 22, 1939.

It appears your correspondent is under the impression that I have suggested a different day for the Iranian New Year, with a different spelling of its name, which she found to be at variance with that accepted and adopted by the American Behais for their Bahai festivities.

I, therefore, hasten to explain to your correspondent that I have not suggested, but stated the fact as far as the Iranian New Year is concerned.

The Iranian New Year has nothing to do with March 21 or 22 of the Gregorian calendar or any other calendar, but is a solar phenomenon, beginning exactly at the moment when the sun on its course from South to North reaches the celestial equator, which phenomenon in the astronomical term is called the Vernal Equinox.

As for the time and date of this phenomenon on the face of the earth I may point out that due to the earth's revolution on its axis round the sun from west to east, at a speed of about 18 miles per second, the time of the equinox varies in every locality according to its geographic position. In most cases this phenomenon of the vernal equinox coincides with March 21 of the Gregorian Calendar, but some years it coincides with March 22, as it did this year. The reason for this variation is a technical astronomical question, and I, therefore, refrain from details.

As for the spelling of Nov-Rooz (the "new day," the name of the Iranian New Year day), for the information of your correspondent, the Iranian language is a branch of the widely spread Aryan languages of which English is another branch, and it is, therefore, a philological issue. In most languages of Aryan origin, the word "Nov" means "New," that is to say, the Iranian "Nov" and the English "New" are identical words of the same origin, with only a slight difference in pronunciation. I have spelled the word "Nov" instead of "Naw" as spelled by your correspondent so as to get a sound nearest the Iranian pronunciation, and in spelling the Iranian word "Rooz" (day) instead of "Ruz" as spelled by your correspondent, I had the same idea in mind as explained above. At the same time I may say that the American spelling of the word as "Ruz" must have originally been introduced to America with the French spelling and pronunciation, because the French "U" is nearer the English sound "OO", but the English "U" has entirely different a sound as compared to the Iranian pronunciation of the word "Rooz".

As regards your correspondent's contention that I may also be a Bahai and a follower of this new International Religion and Brotherhood, I may state that man and his faith is something very holy and is a matter between him and his Creator, the Great Cause behind the Universe. However, I have studied Bahai teachings very deeply as I have studied all other religions, ancient and modern, and, therefore, I may say that the Bahai teachings have as much right to command the attention of mankind as any other spiritual teachings of modern religions.

As for the second temple built by the American Bahais in Chicago, as referred to by your correspondent, may I be permitted to say that all religions are deeply connected with symbolism, therefore, I hope that every individual will attempt to build a similar temple in his or her heart because the heart is the throne and temple of love, and love is god.

H. TOUTY

Shanghai, June 3.

The Power Co:

And Cost of Coal

To the Editor of the
"NORTH-CHINA DAILY NEWS"

SIR,—Some time last year the Shanghai Power Company petitioned the Shanghai Municipal Council for permission to impose a surcharge on to their bills to consumers, which was duly sanctioned. In due course the Company issued a statement to the public announcing the increase and in which a mass of figures and other vital details were submitted and the fundamental reason as given appeared to be the high cost of imported coal which the Company management said they were forced to pay in future in consequence of the stoppage or serious curtailment of supply from the Kailan Mining Administration due to the war, etc. However, the emergency period calling for the surcharge is no longer prevailing, inasmuch as the Company is again using almost entirely K.M.A. coal and has been doing so for some time. Investigation by the writer revealed the fact that only for a short period did the Shanghai Power Co. import a comparatively small quantity of coal from India, Africa and elsewhere, while most of the time since the inauguration of the surcharge they have been using Kailan coal to the extent of 40 to 50 thousand tons a month, and this quantity is apparently being maintained judging by the weekly shipments from Chinwangtao destined for the Power Co., which consumes approximately 1,500 tons a day.

The above being facts, which can be easily verified by you, Sir, it is high time that the surcharge should be discontinued forthwith, especially so in view of the huge profit the Power Co. made in 1938 as per balance sheet published recently.

J. E.

Shanghai, June 1.

SHANGHAI POWER COMPANY
Coal Situation

Coal Storage	*tons*
Coal in storage beginning of hostilities	55,000
Coal in storage—Low point during hostilities	18,000
Coal in storage end of 1937	53,000
Coal in storage end of 1938	80,800

Every effort has been made since the hostilities to obtain deliveries in excess of consumption in order to build up storage to a minimum of 100,000 tons. It has been up to this figure several times in the past six months, but delays in regular deliveries result in keeping it below 100,000 tons most of the time.

Coal Receipts

	K.M.A. Coal	Other Chinese Coal	Foreign Coal	Total
August to Dec., 1937	59,731	32,980	—	92,711
Year 1938	349,959	—	148,925	498,884
Year 1939:				
Actual for 1st 4 months	Plus			
Estimate for 8 m'ths	300,000	—	375,000	675,000

All coal purchased since July, 1938, including K.M.A. is subject to payment in Sterling, Rupees and U.S. dollars. Coal cost in Chinese dollars is 300 per cent. of pre-hostility cost.

June 3, 1939.

ss. Tejo Piracy:

ss. Karsten Nowhere Near

To the Editor of the
"NORTH-CHINA DAILY NEWS"

SIR,—In fairness to the captain of the German steamer Karsten, I wish to state the following: After the piracy (on May 28), the steamer Tejo left Yangling for Shanghai at 4 p.m. Soon after we left, we sighted the Karsten about five miles away coming behind us. As she is a much faster boat, she passed by our port side at a distance of about one cable length, the time was 4.50 p.m., after the Bridge Buoy to Wusang entrance.

No steamers were in sight at the time when Tejo was pirated and taken to Yangling.

While she was lying at anchor at Yangling and at mercy of the sea rovers, and while some of the pirates were discharging some of the ship's cargoes into their four junks (which came alongside after the steamer dropped her anchor), then, at about 1.30 p.m., we saw one British gunboat and one B. & S. river steamer steaming up river, passing at a distance of about 2½ miles from us, and five to 10 minutes later also passed at the same distance one Japanese warship accompanied by one armed motor-junk steaming down river towards Wusang, but unfortunately we were helpless to raise an alarm.

But at no time was the German steamer Karsten near us when we were attacked nor when we were forced to change our course to Yangling.

CAPT. A. C. JOANILHO
s/s. Tejo

Shanghai, June 3.

BY SAPAJOU

Mr. I. A. Kolchin

Who conducts tonight the Concert of the United Russian Choirs

Birth of Christian Church

Sermon Preached in Holy Trinity Cathedral By Rev. F. W. Weaver at Mattins on May 28

TEXT:—*Zech. 4: 6. This is the word of the Lord unto Zerubbabel, saying. Not by might, nor by power, but by My Spirit, saith the Lord of Hosts.*

WE come once more through the Church's season to the Festival of the Holy Spirit or as we often call it the Birthday of the Church. It is so called because we associate the descent of the Holy Spirit in the form of the cloven tongues of fire on the followers of Christ as they were assembled in the upper room at Jerusalem waiting, as they had been commanded by Our Lord Himself, for the promised gift of the Holy Spirit, and after which event the disciples went forth filled with a mighty power and proclaimed the teachings of their Master and so formed the first Christian Church.

But in the midst of our joy and thankfulness for this special outpouring of the Holy Spirit we must never lose sight of the fact that it is the same Spirit that has been working throughout all ages, the Third person of the Holy Trinity, God the Holy Ghost whom we acknowledge in our Creed.

Creation of the World

Let us go back for a few moments to the earliest records that we have of the Holy Spirit's work—the creation of the world. We are told that the Spirit brooded over the face of the waters. Order was created out of Chaos by the work of the Holy Spirit. No human power could have done it. No human eloquence could have caused it. Not by might, nor by power, but by My spirit saith the Lord of Hosts.

We proceed to the times of the Old Testament—the times of the Prophets. What do we see? The Holy Spirit takes man after man. He often takes the roughest of men, men of little education, for we are told that the Spirit of the Lord came upon them—the Spirit of the Lord came upon this man and that, and used him for His work; and there is no understanding how those simple, unlearned men did such a marvellous work unless they did it by the power of the Holy Spirit.

Revelation

Then comes the next work of the Holy Spirit. God's great revelation is at hand; but who is to prepare for the mighty Incarnation? who is to work it out? who is to bring it to pass? "The Holy Ghost shall come upon thee, and the power of the Most High shall overshadow thee, therefore that holy thing that shall be born of thee shall be called the Son of God." The Incarnation is the work of the Holy Spirit. The Incarnate Son comes forth upon His ministry; He has laid aside His glory. Though He was equal with God, He thought it not a thing to be snatched at to be equal with God, but "made Himself of no reputation;" He put Himself on our level for His work. In whose power is He to resist Temptation? In whose power is He to work His miracles? In whose power is He to preach? We are told "He went in the power of the Spirit preaching the Word." The Spirit driveth Him into the wilderness. "The Spirit of the Lord is upon Me, because the Lord hath appointed me to preach the Gospel to the poor." And yet all the time the Incarnate Son of God points to an even more intimate nearness of the Holy Spirit. "He is *with* you but He shall be *in* you." "It is expedient for you that I go away: for if I go not away, the Comforter will not come unto you." "I will not leave you orphans, I will come to you."

Then comes that wonderful day, the Birthday of the Christian Church. "Tarry ye in the city of Jerusalem, until ye be endued with power from on high;" and as they tarried, waiting, praying, expecting, they heard a sound of rushing, mighty wind, and with tongues of fire, down came in full power and full force the Holy Ghost from heaven.

Promise Fulfilled

Timid men became brave, irresolute men became bold; and anyone who watches the work of Pentecost must acknowledge the mighty power of God the Holy Ghost. The promise was fulfilled. Has He gone back? Has there been a day on which we mark the return of the Holy Ghost to heaven? Thank God, there has not. The whole history of the Christian Church is one great evidence to the person and power of the Holy Ghost.

But for the presence of the Holy Ghost in the Christian Church coming down and filling with life the Body which Christ had prepared so carefully, the Church must have perished from coldness or heresy, at times when the life seemed to have died out of it. The power of recovery in the Christian Church is due to the power of the Holy Ghost. Yes, we seemed dead, for instance, in the 18th Century—we seem dead in parishes sometimes now—but time after time there comes a revival, the power of the Holy Ghost seems to be shown again, and seems to come back; and the long history of the Christian Church, in its falls and recoveries, as well as in its great successes, is a record and a witness to the power of the Holy Spirit.

What then, if we are certain that He is here, should we be expecting Him to do in this parish and in individual souls if He is at work among us? First, in the Church and in the parish at large, if the Holy Spirit has had free scope among you, there must have been a growing unity year after year, because the Holy Spirit is the Spirit of Love. There must have been more harmony among Church workers and less friction, if the Holy Ghost is at work among them.

Christianly Love

Ever unceasingly is the Holy Spirit trying to make Christians love one another. "Now abideth faith, hope, love—these three and the greatest of these is love."

If the Holy Ghost has been working among you during the past years there must have been an ever-increasing Mission zeal amongst you. Every year you must have been more and more determined, at any sacrifice, to spread the kingdom of Jesus Christ in this world—interested in your own business, but ten times more interested in the business of the kingdom of God.

If the Holy Ghost is at work in a place, then the whole life of that place is growing purer and purer every day: every home is full of the spirit of unselfishness; the children are brought up in an atmosphere where everything that can defile them is, so far as possible, excluded, and where they grow in grace as they grow in years, if the Holy Spirit is working there.

Code of Honour

The men who leave for their place of business every day where the Holy Ghost is at work go to the city more and more determined to be honourable, straightforward in their business and never, for any advantage in the world, to break even by an iota the strict code of honour and honesty.

The women who keep the home in a place where the Holy Ghost works speak ill of their neighbours less and less; more and more rush forward to shield by their influence one who is persecuted, or ill-treated, or spoken hardly of.

And what happens to the individual soul when the Holy Ghost is at work there? The flesh lusteth against the Spirit and the spirit against the flesh; but if the Holy Spirit is at work in the soul, each year there is more control of the passions, every year there is a greater sense of the Love of God, because the Holy Ghost cries "Aabba, Father" in the heart; every year there is a deeper sense of Jesus Christ as the one great reality of the world, because the Holy Ghost is taking of Christ and showing him to the soul.

Every sermon, however simple it is, the Bible reading, the reading of a devotional book, are all being brought home, because the soul is listening for what the Lord God will say concerning it, and Christ becomes a living bright reality more and more to the soul where the Hoy Ghost works. Prayer is more earnest, because the prayer is the prayer of the Holy Spirit. However cold and dead we are we can pray. "Come Holy Ghost our souls inspire. He will come in all His Power.

Is the Holy Ghost allowed to work His full work among us? Or are any of us quenching the Spirit, grieving the Spirit or resisting the Spirit? Are we quenching the fire of the spirit by letting habits of indifference and apathy creep over us. Do we care less about holy things than we did 5 years ago? Do we let our business life take up all our thought and all our mind, do we give up our prayers and Bible reading and let the interests of the world or social engagements occupy our whole mind and thought. If so we are quenching the Spirit.

Or are we grieving the Spirit? "Grieve not the Holy Spirit of God, whereby ye are sealed unto the day of Redemption. Many of us were sealed—that is Baptised and Confirmed—long ago. We remember perhaps that Confirmation Day, years ago, when our hearts were so soft and we meant to live such good lives? What has happened to it all now? What happened to our Confirmation resolutions? The Holy Spirit wanted to nestle in our hearts like the Holy Dove, and never leave us: but we have driven Him out by letting foul thoughts and foul imaginations take the place that the Holy Spirit of God should take.

Are We Resisting

Or are we resisting the Spirit? Are we like those men spoken of in the Acts of the Apostles "Ye do always resist the Holy Ghost; as your fathers did so do ye." The Holy Ghost is leading us on by gentle influences, always trying to make us better, always leading us on to this bit of service and that bit of service; to give up this habit or that habit; and we are resisting the Holy Spirit, pulling back, making powerless his work. We never get peace till we are driven by the Spirit down the track of the will of God, and then we find peace.

Am I speaking to some who find religion is of little help to them, who are unhappy in it? The reason is that you have only half surrendered to the power of the Holy Ghost. You get full peace as well as full power when you let the Holy Ghost take you into His loving hands and you are driven down the will of God.

Let us pray more earnestly this Whitsunday that the Holy Spirit may come to each one of us with all His power that we may be able to so purify our souls that there is no cloud between us and the power of the Holy Spirit and then please God. There shall rise from this parish, a bright glow of spiritual fire; the fire shall glow in every heart, and from the whole parish there shall rise a glow like the pillar of light which guided the Israelites by night, and it shall make the whole world see that God has been amongst us in truth.

Seventy Years Ago

FROM THE "NORTH-CHINA DAILY NEWS" OF JUNE 5, 1869

An illustrative case of domestic slavery happened here lately on the occasion of the failure of the large pawnbroker's establishment in Hongque. Two young girls were found in the house. The creditors demanded that they should be sold as assets. The magistrate, however, would not sanction the barbarity refusing on the ground that he could not then control their future career. They didn't know anything about their parents; so were given by the authorities to a respectable family in city.

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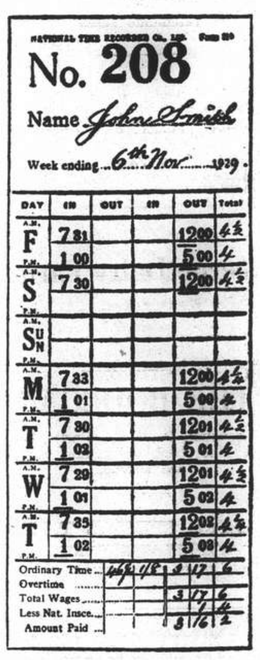

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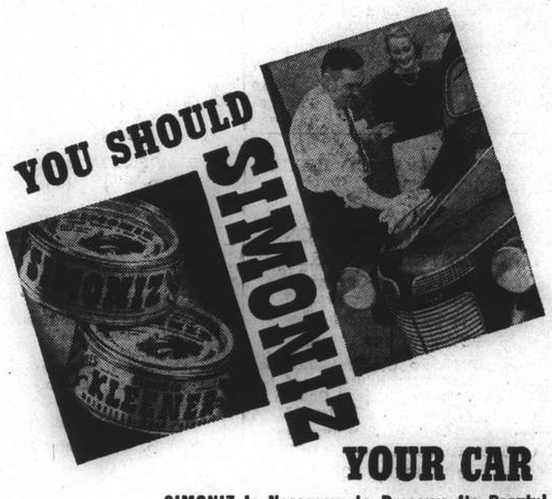

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WOMAN'S PAGE
A Mayfair Notebook

By Philine

London, May 12.

When the Queen, then Duchess of York, last visited any of the Dominions, she left at home only one daughter, Princess Elizabeth. The baby Elizabeth could not keep in touch with her mother by letter writing and telephone as can the 13-year-old Princess today. The Queen had then to rely upon what others could tell her about the child during those long months of separation.

But at regular and frequent intervals photographs of the little Princess were sent out to her parents, so that they might note every little change in the beloved features and trace every stage in her development.

At such times as these, when the King and Queen are speeding away from England and across the Atlantic, there must be some consolation for them in the thought that no babies are left behind at home. Instead, there is 13-year old Princess Elizabeth and 8-year-old Princess Margaret Rose who can write letters, speak over the telephone every day and take their own photographs to send out to mother and father.

Princess Elizabeth means to make good use of her new cine-camera during her parents' absence and may even let her young sister take a turn at the camera sometimes. Each reel of film, when completed, will be dispatched to the King and Queen. These home-made pictorial records will then be thrown on a private screen wherever Their Majesties happen to be. They will illustrate the letters in diary form which both Princesses have promised faithfully to write.

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Luise Rainer Comes to Town

It is not often that a film star comes from Hollywood to appear upon the London stage. It must be rarer still that a Hollywood film star has a dressing-room in a London theatre specially decorated to suit her own whim. But Luise Rainer will be making her first West-End stage appearance soon, in "Behold the Bride," a play by Jacques Deval, who wrote "Tovarich." What is more, she has asked that her dressing-room at the Shaftesbury Theatre shall be decorated in a buff colour with the woodwork painted green, and this is being done.

All of which sounds as though the popular star of "The Good Earth" is a specially pampered guest in London. It is true that Miss Rainer's introduction to the London stage is to be made one of the special nights of the London season; that one hears she is to receive £750 a week for acting in a light comedy. But, in any case, the Shaftesbury Theatre was to be redecorated for its next show, though it was a nice act of courtesy to consult Miss Rainer's taste on interior decoration.

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Gigantic Candles for Dinner Tables

Having taken enthusiastically to the idea of dining in a truly romantic fashion by candlelight, smart London hostesses are now considering new shapes in candles. The latest are gigantic and cost as much as 17s. 6d. each. Made in pure wax in various delightful colours, they will last many meals, for they only burn down half an inch in two hours.

In the old days, candles caused a deal of bother with dripping grease and wavering flame. There is little of this today. Square pillars of transparent wax have the wicks in small cups on top. As the candles burn slowly the cups get deeper and deeper, so that the light shines through the shells of wax left. One cone-shaped design is finished to represent trickles of wax all down the sides. It stands on a lace mat on the dinner table and the wax burns away as it melts.

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Paris Introduces the Bustle

The crinoline is not dead, but Paris dressmakers, like most kinds of artists, who, having once created a thing, lose interest in it, are already thinking out new dress styles. They have made the crinoline a fashion success, can they do the same for, say, the bustle? That is the question they are asking themselves. They believe they can.

Indeed, the bustle, generally in a modified form, has been introduced to the midsummer dress collections. In these we see frocks which hang plain in front and are gathered into a soft fulness behind. Alix uses pannier-like drapery to give the bustle effect, or the "pouffeé" line, as Paris names the coming vogue. Mme Schiaparelli creates beautiful dresses with two ribbon loops at the back in bustle form and fulness flowing away below from the knees downwards.

All the soft silk afternoon frocks show the same trend. They may not have actual puffs of fabric, but they are shirred and skirts are drawn below the belt at the back, leaving the front almost straight. The new line means a change of fabric. There must be body in the bustle fabric and so stiff satins and taffetas are reappearing for evening wear. One can have soft dresses, of course, but in this case broad ribbons of velvet or silk will supply the bustle effect.

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Decorative Snoods

Of all the little fashions which have come into being during the past twelve months or so the evening snood is probably the most attractive and certainly one of the most useful. Every woman surely looks at her very best when she frames her face and softly covers her hair with a chiffon kerchief. And from the plain head scarf we have gradually evolved more and more decorative embroidered chiffon.

The snood which is made out of a large chiffon square, folded in two, from corner to corner, will look very charming if, for instance, it is trimmed with large "flowers" of velvet ribbon in a contrasting colour. The "flowers" should edge the front of the snood. For each one, cut a piece of 1-inch-wide ribbon 5 inches long. Join the ends to make a circle. Run a gathering thread round about ¼ inch in from one edge and draw up the gathers. The "flowers" are now complete and need only to be stitched lightly to the chiffon.

Chiffon Dinner Coat

Enter a very lovely idea—a flowered chiffon coat over taffeta. The clever buttoned cummerbund-girdle has a way of subtracting inches from the figure if such subtraction is desired. If not, it emphasizes a slim waist.

Enjoy Your Salad Days

How good salad is at this time of year with almost anything — an omelette, cold ham, home-made meat roll or white rimmed rings of liver sausage from the cooked-meat shop.

Such a variety of salads one can make! There's lettuce and chicory, endive and watercress, and the pale heart of a young spring cabbage finely shredded.

A squeeze of onion juice or a rub round the dish with cut garlic always adds to the interest of the most everyday salad bowl.

There is nothing difficult about making a salad provided you follow a few simple rules.

First, and most important, lettuce must be crisp. To revive a limp lettuce put it for a short time in cold water containing a few drops of lemon juice.

A salad basket is best for drying lettuce, otherwise use a clean dry cloth. Shred it with your fingers, never use a steel knife.

Always skin tomatoes before slicing them. This is quickly done by pouring boiling water over them. Then after you've left them for a minute or two, you'll find that the skin will come off quite easily.

Next, a salad must be attractive in appearance. A usual fault is the ugly black rim round the yolk of the hardboiled egg. To avoid this boil the eggs for ten minutes, then plunge them straight into cold water. Shell the eggs when cold.

Pipe Your Checks

The summer evening frock sketched is of blue and white gingham. The pleats of the ankle-length skirt are stitched and piped with white to produce a slimming effect over the hips. The little bolero is also piped. The blouse is of white organza, hand-tucked in keeping with the checks of the gingham. Bright petunia is suggested for the sash.

Chin-Line Beauty
Bleaching Packs and Massage

Very often a woman's age can be accurately told by the condition of the skin of her chin and neck. Often her face is unlined and beautiful, but her neck and chin, when seen in contour, have lost much of their youthful beauty. In a young girl the skin is taut and clear cut, whereas in an older woman the muscles have begun to sag, there is a fullness under the jaw-bone and a bagginess beneath the point of the chin.

In too many cases care of chins and necks is neglected until signs of ageing, wrinkling, or fullness appears, and then hasty restorative treatments are resorted to. It would be far better if, whilst you were still young, you undertook to carry out simple preventive treatments.

Imagine that your skin is a piece of elastic, and that at one end of the elastic is a piece of lead. If that lead is allowed to remain on the elastic for a long period the elastic will then lose all its elasticity and will not regain its normal length, but if the weight is regularly removed the elastic will then instantly fly back to its normal position.

The same applies to the muscles on each side of the face beneath the chin. These muscles receive a huge amount of work and very little rest, and consequently, unless treated, they soon show actual signs of drooping. If, however, when you are in your middle twenties, you procure a chin-strap, and slip it on at any odd minute during the day, you will then feel as much relief as you do when you rest your feet when they are tired.

Be sure that you procure one which fits you snugly.

Another excellent plan is to give your chin an invigorating slapping treatment. Make yourself a pad of cottonwool and wring it out in icy cold water, then slightly dampen it with eau de Cologne and briskly pat it over your face until the skin glows. Start underneath the chin, patting across the jawbone to the ear, and then upwards towards the temple. This treatment should be carried out for five minutes each night and morning.

Massage for Wrinkles

If the skin on the neck is at all wrinkled the following simple treatment will do much to remedy the condition.

Place a tablespoonful of lanoline in an enamelled dish and allow it to liquefy over a low heat. By heating the cream into a liquid condition it thus becomes more easily absorbed by the skin. Care should be taken to see that the cream is not made too hot.

Spread the melted lanoline generously over the neck, throat, and shoulders and then massage by placing the hands low at the base of the throat and working upwards to the base of the chin with swift, firm movements. After this movement has been carried out for a few minutes again start a new series of movements by placing the hands together at the base of the throat and this time allow the hands to work upwards and outwards towards the ears. In this movement the hands will run along beneath the jawbone.

Keep moving the starting place of the hands by a few inches until the whole of the skin area of the neck and throat has been covered with massage and cream. As the cream becomes absorbed by the skin further applications should be made.

Night Treatment

If the skin is particularly dry and lined it will require a very nourishing treatment, and this is best given in the following manner.

Procure two one-yard lengths of four-inch wide bandage gauze and soak it in the following skin food: add together one tablespoonful each of lanoline and olive oil, place together in an enamelled dish and liquefy over heat. Mix together and then soak one of the pieces of gauze in the liquefied cream.

Wrap it well around the neck and then wrap the other piece of bandage around it, and finally off to bed. This treatment will allow the skin to absorb the maximum amount of nourishment. In the morning, when the bandage is removed, wash the neck well with soap and water until all traces of the oil have been removed.

The above treatment can be carried out as frequently as desired.

For Bleaching

The summer sun often gives a dirty, muddy-looking neck which spoils one's appearance for many future months. An excellent bleaching pack can be made by mixing together almond meal and almond oil until you have a thin paste. Place a tablespoonful of the meal in a saucer and add the oil until the paste is of the right consistency. Spread this over the neck and allow to remain on the skin for 20 minutes. Remove it from the skin with pads of cottonwool which have been soaked in warm water.

Dry the neck lightly with a soft towel and then dab with witch-hazel and allow it to remain on all night. This lotion can be used during the day as well if desired as it not only acts as a liquid powder, but also as a slight bleaching agent.

If this treatment is carried out daily for a week it will be quite sufficient to restore the skin to a normal condition.

Seeing that your chin-line plays such an important part in determining your beauty and your age, it is for you to see that it tells a tale that is at least flattering, even if it is not exactly truthful.

The Family Wardrobe
Divided into Three

Many owners of enormous mahogany wardrobes such as graced the Victorian house are regretting that they parted with them for almost nothing when they moved to a smaller abode or decorated their houses on different lines. For clever buyers have found a new use for the Victorian wardrobe, or rather a trinity of uses. They have taken the side portions and made of them separate cupboards, which look well in modern rooms. The middle, which often consists of drawers, is made into a complete piece of furniture by attention to the sides. Even the cornice, which seemed to assemble the whole, makes a sort of crown which can be fixed into a corner and from which curtains can be hung for a temporary wardrobe. Where the arrangement is reversed and there are drawers and shelves at the two sides of the wardrobe, these equally can be used separately for two different rooms, while the middle hanging space has to be filled in to make a cupboard. For comparatively little expense three good articles of furniture can be made out of the one. Much of the walnut or mahogany is so good and has attained such a pleasant colour under the hands of generations of housemaids that it is pleasant to look upon and adds dignity to a room of whatever period.

A New World War!
An Enemy Which Lowers Vitality in One of Every Three of Mankind

So long as there is any life on earth, fighting will remain the visible expression of the will to life. This applies both to dealings between races and also to the conflict between mankind and the animal world. This is in every respect a matter of life or death. The wars which men wage amongst themselves are, however, unimportant episodes in comparison to the war which man is continually waging on the animal world, in order to maintain his position.

The worst enemies are the small and minute living beings: insects as carriers of infection and blood parasites, bacilli and bacteria as causes of infectious diseases, which every year make such gaps in the ranks of mankind as even the most terrible of wars has never caused. In this bitter flight for existence, all available forces must be employed, and it is significant that the first example of real international co-operation has been effected in this sphere. Great as have been the advances in engineering and technology in the last one hundred years, they have nevertheless been widely overshadowed by the results of the war against disease.

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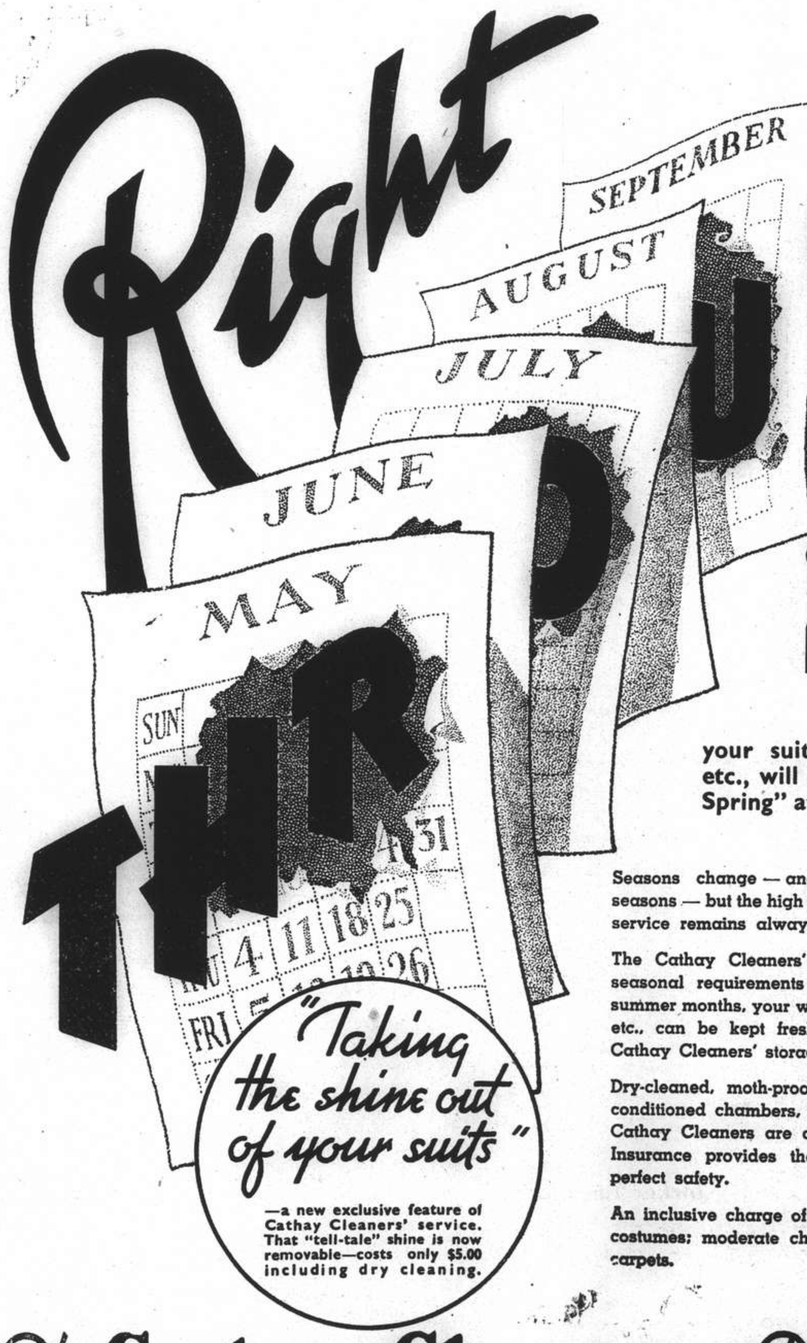

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THE SPORTS PAGE

Recs' Tyros Begin Season With Fine Victory

Hart-Baker Knocks Up 84 and Takes Three Wickets With Fine All-Round Performance

THANKS to a splendid all round performance by Hart-Baker and some brilliant catching by Symons, the S.R.C. Tyros opened their 1939 league engagements with a good win against the S.C.C. Wanderers yesterday afternoon on the former's ground. The Tyros scored 158, of which Hart-Baker claimed 84, and then retired their opponents for 121, the last six wickets falling while only 23 runs were added.

Hart-Baker dominated the Tyro's innings, only he, Pettit and Madar returning double figures, the other players being completely off form. The first two named opened the innings and put on 46 before Madar was sent back. Ollerdessen kept his end up until 81, but after that a mild rot set in until Pettit arrived at the fall of the eighth wicket. Hitting out strongly he scored one six and three fours in his 29 which helped considerably to avert a thorough collapse.

Hart-Baker scored his runs out of 119, being particularly severe on Jenkins and Pearson. He never gave a single chance and was at the wicket for just under 75 minutes. His best hits were 16 fours which were made through cuts and shots to the leg-side. Playing confidently throughout he was never in difficulties and his innings was the best seen on any local ground this season.

Facing a total of 158, the Wanderers started poorly, two wickets being down for 9, while Pullen was back in the pavilion for the third man out with only 29 on the board. Dean and Jenkins pulled the game round, however, and added 61 for the fourth partnership before the former was clean bowled when attempting to hit one of Pettit's spinners out of the ground. Dean played a particularly useful innings of 41 and it was most unfortunate that his wicket should have been disturbed with the ninth ball of the over. Starting slowly he used a straight-bat to good effect and appeared well set when returned. His chief hits were six boundaries.

Symons' Brilliant Fielding

Jenkins, too, played his part manfully, his 36 coming as the result of some good shots through the covers and over the bowlers' heads. He was finally out when the score was 99, being well caught by Pate on the boundary.

The remaining batsmen did not present a great deal of difficulty to the Tyros' bowlers and fielders, the entire side being out for 121, allowing the Recs' side to win by 37 runs.

Symons catching was brilliant indeed, his effort to retire Simpson being simply first-class. Diving full length to a full blooded drive from the opening batsman, he held the ball close to the ground. His two other catches were not quite so spectacular but, nonetheless, were splendid examples of what fielders should be able to do.

S.R.C. Tyros

N. Hart-Baker, l.b.w. b. Pearson	84
G. Madar, c. & b. Jenkins	15
C. E. Ollerdessen, c. Pearson, b. Knightly	8
K. M. Pate, b. Jenkins	0
A. Symons, l.b.w. b. Jenkins	0
T. W. R. Wilson, c. Dean, b. Jenkins	9
E. Blackwood, l.b.w. b. Jenkins	2
J. R. MacDonald, b. Pearson	0
E. Weidman, b. Jenkins	7
A. W. Pettit, not out	29
R. Murray, c. Jenkins, b. Pearson	2
Extras	2
Total	158

Fall of Wickets: 1-46 (Madar), 2-81 (Ollerdessen), 3-95 (Pate), 4-93 (Symons), 5-109 (Wilson), 6-119 (Hart-Baker), 7-119 (Blackwood), 8-121 (MacDonald), 9-155 (Weidman), 10-158 (Murray).

BOWLING ANALYSIS

	O.	M.	R.	W.
Jenkins	13	0	70	6
Pearson	8.5	0	45	3
Cantopher	2	0	17	0
Knightly	2	0	24	1

Pearson bowled one wide

S.C.C. Wanderers

P. V. Simpson, c. Symons, b. Pettit	6
A. V. T. Dean, b. Pettit	41
F. J. Knightly, st. Blackwood, b. Pettit	0
J. C. Pullen, c. Blackwood, b. Weidman	14
J. C. Jenkins, c. Pate, b. Hart-Baker	36
E. D. Nash, b. Wilson	2
T. C. G. Pearson, b. Hart-Baker	13
G. T. Gambling, c. Symons, b. Wilson	1
L. T. Lawrence, c. Symons, b. Hart-Baker	2
P. G. A. Cantopher, b. Wilson	0
J. Weaver, not out	1
Extras	5
Total	121

Fall of Wickets: 1-9 (Simpson), 2-9 (Knightly), 3-29 (Pullen), 4-90 (Dean), 5-99 (Jenkins) 6-103 (Nash), 7-115 (Gambling), 8-115 (Pearson), 9-120 (Lawrence), 10-121 (Cantopher).

BOWLING ANALYSIS

	O.	M.	R.	W.
Wilson	9.3	3	23	3
Pettit	9	1	46	3
Weidman	3	0	13	1
Ollerdessen	3	0	9	0
Hart-Baker	4	0	25	3

Parsees Force Draw With Stragglers

Fine Innings by Kermani Saves Game; Fletcher in Good Bowling Form

A fine innings by F. R. Kermani who scored 61 out of 99 put on during his stay at the crease undoubtedly saved the day for the Parsees yesterday afternoon against the S.C.C. Stragglers in the Cricket Club ground, the match, which was a league encounter, ending in a draw at 6.30 p.m. after the Stragglers had scored 157 and had retired nine of their opponents for 142.

The Stragglers began very well indeed and seemed set for a big total especially after Sim had got his eye in. He, however, fell to one of F. R. Kermani's leg spinners, but Duckitt, who had come in at the fall of the second wicket, quickly got on top of the bowling, although he was beaten several times by balls from R. F. Shroff.

Duckitt Shines

Sinclair seemed destined for a big innings, for he was playing well from the time he reached the wicket, but an absolute snorter from R. F. Shroff completely beat him and disturbed his stumps. Sluis then joined Duckitt and by dint of first careful and subsequently free batting, they added no less than 54 for the sixth wicket when it had appeared that the attack was just getting the better of matters. They both hit well and scored all round the wicket. Sluis was the first to go, being held by Divecha, while a run later, Duckitt ran himself out in attempting his fiftieth run. His innings came at the right time to be of service to his team, but he was never comfortable against R. F. Shroff. His best shots were six fours.

The last three wickets fell for only fifteen, all being taken by F. R. Kermani in 1.3 overs for five runs.

Mehta and Karanjia opened the Parsees innings to the bowling of Anstice and Duckitt who were never dangerous. The two batsmen took no risks and scored very slowly. Karanjia was the first to go, being bowled by Fletcher when 25. Kermani replaced him and the scoring became a trifle quicker. Mehta left at the fifty mark after compiling a useful 14, but apart from Viccajee, few of the remaining players could remain for any length of time with Kermani, who was playing a very fine innings.

Battle With Time

S. F. Shroff, the left-hander, stayed long enough for 39 to be added of which he contributed but 7, but at this period of the game it was obvious that to win, the Parsees would have to score at nearly two runs a minute. Kermani tried hard with forcing tactics, hitting out at every ball. He and his various partners scampered up and down the pitch for the shortest of singles but when it seemed that the Parsees might snatch a victory, Kermani was well caught by Hutchison when attempting a big-hit. He reached the tape seven times, most of his scoring strokes being directed to the on.

Viccajee hit three fours in a short stay, but with the tail refusing to wag, nine wickets were down for 142, and the Stragglers' fielders all came in very close to the wicket for the last over which Divecha played very carefully and with his wicket still intact, the match was drawn.

Fletcher, in his first League match, bowled convincingly, his figures of six for 36 auguring well for his future.

S.C.C. Stragglers

E. H. Anstice, l.b.w., b. R. F. Shroff	12
I. M. Hutchison, c. Mehta, b. R. F. Shroff	5
G. B. Sim, l.b.w., b. F. R. Kermani	28
L. R. Duckitt, run out	49
C. Woolhouse, b. F. R. Kermani	0
A. C. Sinclair, b. R. F. Shroff	17
E. J. Sluis, c. Divecha, b. R. F. Shroff	27
G. J. Read, b. F. R. Kermani	0
J. D. Sayle, not out	7
J. Fletcher, b. F. R. Kermani	0
J. Cornfield, b. F. R. Kermani	8
Extras	4
Total	157

Fall of Wickets:—1-13 (Hutchison), 2-22 (Anstice), 3-54 (Sim), 4-54 (Woolhouse), 5-87 (Sinclair), 6-141 (Sluis), 7-142 (Duckitt), 8-147 (Read), 9-147 (Fletcher), 10-157 (Cornfield).

BOWLING ANALYSIS

	O.	M.	R.	W.
R. F. Shroff	13	0	51	4
S. F. Shroff	9	1	45	0
F. R. Kermani	7.3	1	32	5
Charna	6	0	11	0
Divecha	2	0	14	0

Parsees C.C.

N. N. Mehta, c. Sim, b. Read	14
S. P. Karanjia, b. Fletcher	25
F. R. Kermani, c. Hutchison, b. Duckitt	61
R. F. Shroff, b. Fletcher	1
P. M. Charna, c. Anstice, b. Fletcher	5
S. F. Shroff, b. Fletcher	7
P. R. Kermani, c. Sluis, b. Duckitt	1
B. R. Viccajee, b. Fletcher	19
M. J. Divecha, not out	1
P. B. Tata, b. Fletcher	0
J. S. Kuka, not out	0
Extras	8
Total for nine wickets	142

Fall of Wickets:—1-32 (Karanjia), 2-50 (Mehta), 3-53 (R. F. Shroff), 4-69 (Charna), 5-108 (S. F. Shroff), 6-116 (P. R. Kerman), 7-131 (F. R. Kermani), 8-142 (Viccajee), 9-142 (Tata).

BOWLING ANALYSIS

	O.	M.	R.	W.
Anstice	4	1	10	0
Duckitt	8	0	[illegible]	2
Read	7	1	22	1
Fletcher	9	0	36	6
Woolhouse	2	0	14	0

Sir Victor Sassoon's Entry Second

SPECIAL TO THE "N.C.D.N."

London, June 4.

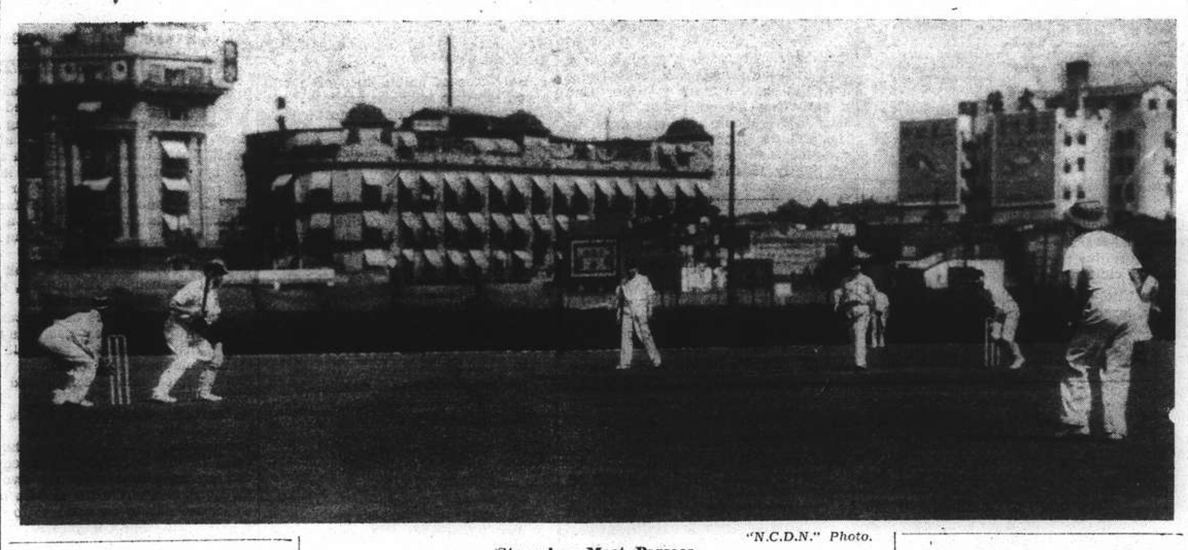
The Red Rose Stakes, run at Manchester yesterday over a distance of six furlongs, was won by Sir Percy Loraine's Orleans. Sir Victor Sassoon's Burns' Night was second, and His Majesties' Cosmopolitan was third. Orleans won by two lengths, while a head separated the second and third horses. There were seven starters. His Majesty's Cosmopolitan was the favourite at 3 to 1. Orleans was quoted at 5 to 1 and Burns' Night at 8 to 1.—Reuter.

King's Jockey Engaged

London, (By Mail).

J. Crouch, the King's Jockey, has become engaged to Miss Barbara Hives, 19, daughter of Mr. W. Hives, head stable-lad to Mr. Walter Nightingall, the Epsom trainer.

Crouch, who was apprenticed to Mr. Stanley Wootton, has just concluded riding engagements in India. Crouch had 253 mounts in the 1938 English flat-racing season, riding 20 winners, 34 seconds and 16 thirds.—Reuter.



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Stragglers Meet Parsees

Action in yesterday's cricket match at the Race Course between the Stragglers and the Parsees.

Field Day Enjoyed By Batsmen

Two Double-Centuries and Nine Centuries in Nine Matches

SPECIAL TO THE "N.C.D.N."

London, June 3.

The bat dominated with a vengeance in the nine first-class cricket matches begun today, which produced two individual double centuries, nine centuries and three scores of over 90.

The double-centurions were Headley, the West Indian, who knocked up 227 in a splendid innings against Middlesex, and Paynter, the Lancashire left-hander, who made 222 against Derbyshire.

Harold Gimblett, of Somerset, hit up yet another century, reaching 129 against Worcester.

In a day of prolific scoring, Glamorgan captured the honour for amassing the highest total of the day, with 501 for eight against Notts, followed by West Indies with 491 for three, Lancashire 483, Leicester 367 for seven and Kent 346 for five.

At Lord's—West Indies 491 for three (J. Stollmeyer 117, Headley 227, Sealy 115 not out) against Middlesex.

At Tonbridge—Sussex 95 (Watt four for 38).—Kent 346 for five (Fagg 91, Valentine 50, Chalk 169 not out).

At Peterborough—Northants 186 (Peter Smith five for 64). Essex 235 for four (Avery 62, Wade 66).

At Manchester—Lancashire 483 (Paynter 222, Iddon 64, Nutter 61) against Derbyshire.

At Sheffield—Hampshire 174 (Smailes four for 41). Yorkshire 122 without loss (Hutton 70, Sutcliffe 52, both not out).

At Cambridge—Leicester 367 for seven (Armstrong 131, Prentice 139 not out) against Cambridge.

At the Oval—Warwick 245 (Hill 91, Croom 94). Surrey 76 for one.

At Taunton—Worcester 254 (Cooper 102, Wellard four for 74). Somerset 179 for two (Gimblett 129).

At Swansea—Glamorgan 501 for eight (E. Davies 134, Brierley 113, Turnbull 56, Smart 60, E. Jones 54) against Notts.—Reuter.

Canidrome Results

1—440 yd. flat.—1, Brilliant Star; 2, Silvoreen.
Also ran:—Se You Kee, Mad Plume, Paper Boy, Marietta.
2 lengths.—Time, 27.44.
Win, $12.90. Forecast (1-2) Div. $38.60.
Place, 1st $7.80; 2nd $8.70.

2—500 yd. flat.—1, Sandals; 2, Hei Jen Ya Kiao.
Also ran:—State Lottery, Wallfish, Gator, Reality.
½ length.—Time, 31.38.
Win, $15.40. Forecast (4-2) Div. $95.80.
Place, 1st $8.10; 2nd $12.30.
Double Event 1/2 (1-4) Div. $16.00.

3—500 yd. flat.—1, Five Stars II; 2, Ah Liang.
Also ran:—Full House, Sam Holer, Mirette, Paying Teller.
7 lengths.—Time, 30.87.
Win, $31.10. Forecast (5-6) Div. $76.50.
Place, 1st $12.80; 2nd $10.60.
Double Event 2/3 (4-5) Div. $38.70.

4—500 yd. flat.—1, Madam Sloan; 2, Bowster Boy.
Also ran:—Triumphant Tom, Banque Eve, Busa, Gold Cap.
A head.—Time, 30.88.
Win, $44.10. Forecast (5-2) Div. $340.60.
Place, 1st $22.80; 2nd $18.70.
Double Event 3/4 (5-5) Div. $217.60.

5—500 yd. flat.—1, Monitor; 2, Skedaddle.
Also ran:—Cornell, Matador, Assurance, Shadow.
2½ lengths.—Time, 30.56.
Win, $13.00. Forecast (6-5) Div. $96.60.
Place, 1st $10.30; 2nd $15.20.
Double Event 4/5 (5-6) Div. $83.70.

6—500 yd. flat.—1, Woodstock Ivan; 2, Royal China.
Also ran:—Pierce Arrow, Quicksand, Chop Stick, Corinthian.
2½ lengths.—Time, 30.19.
Win, $23.30. Forecast (6-4) Div. $44.30.
Place, 1st $9.20; 2nd $7.80.
Double Event 5/6 (6-6) Div. $24.30.

7—500 yd. flat.—1, Blarney Stone; 2, Double Six.
Also ran:—Deflation, Wild Charm, Grey Meg, Pearl's Pride.
1 length.—Time, 30.49.
Win, $27.20. Forecast (4-2) Div. $113.20.
Place, 1st $12.50; 2nd $8.50.
Double Event 6/7 (6-4) Div. $52.90.

8—500 yd. flat.—1, Debtor; 2, Young Talgai.
Also ran:—Actor, Wild Jack, Big Shot, Black Mask.
1 length.—Time, 29.95.
Win, $14.50. Forecast (3-2) Div. $49.50.
Place, 1st $10.10; 2nd $10.20.
Double Event 7/8 (4-3) Div. $36.50.

9—500 yd. flat.—1, Glenora; 2, Maid of Morven.
Also ran:—Black Opal, Mercedes, Gleniffer, Future Pal.
9 lengths.—Time, 29.59.
Win, $26.90. Forecast (5-1) Div. $201.60.
Place, 1st $16.60; 2nd $16.80.
Double Event 8/9 (3-5) Div. $35.30.

10—500 yd. flat.—1, Woodford; 2, D.H. The Buck and Messenger Boy.
Also ran:—Ladybird II, Great Wall, Bowsterman.
2½, Dead heat.—Time, 29.77.
Win, $20.50. Forecast (6-3 and 6-4) Div. $34.10 and $56.60.
Place, 1st $7.20; 2nd $6.50, $8.20.
Double Event 9/10 (5-6) Div. $55.20.

11—500 yd. flat.—1, Madam Talgai; 2, Whirlwind.
Also ran:—Chihli Flying Squirrel, Peeress, Our Delight, Jimmy.
1½ length.—Time, 30.02.
Win, $11.90. Forecast (4-1) Div. $134.80.
Place, 1st $12.60; 2nd $12.80.
Double Event, 10/11 (6-4) Div. $64.60.

12—525 yd. flat.—1, Valencia; 2, Careless Rapture.
Also ran:—So Far City, Lido, Good Boy, Hsuan Kung Bar.
3 lengths.—Time, 30.86.
Win, $13.60. Forecast (3-4) Div. $66.20.
Place, 1st $8.10; 2nd $14.50.
Double Event 12/13 (4-3) Div. $39.80.

13—525 yd. flat.—1, The Flying Dutchman; 2, Loughton.
Also ran:—Careless Chop, Tinker, Albatross, Erindale.
1½ length.—Time, 30.64.
Win, $31.30. Forecast (6-1) Div. $177.80.
Place, 1st $21.10; 2nd $20.90.
Double Event 12/13 (3-6) Div. $53.30.

14—600 yd. flat.—1, Bethany; 2, Rita Jack.
Also ran:—Glenapp, O.I.C., Radin, Gold Brick.
1½ length.—Time, 35.69.
Win, $18.10. Forecast (1-4) Div. $45.20.
Place, 1st $8.00; 2nd $9.80.
Double Event 13/14 (6-1) Div. $41.40.
Cash Sweeps:—1st Dog No. 443; 2nd Dog No. 354; 3rd Dog No. 4.
Unplaced:—219, 34, 394.

Terrific Speed by Maj. Gardner

SPECIAL TO THE "N.C.D.N."

Leipzig, June 2.

Major Gardner, the British racing motorist, who broke the records for the mile, one kilometre and five kilometres in a 1,100 cc. M.G. Magnette two days ago, shattered more records today.

Driving a 1,500 cc. machine and taking a flying start, he set up new marks for the mile, the one kilometre and the five kilometres, his speeds being respectively 203.8 miles an hour, 204.2 m.p.h. and 200.6 m.p.h. Previous figures were, respectively, 164, 148.2 and 139.5 m.p.h.—Reuter.

U.S. Polo Hopes Sag With Smith Injured

British Chances Considered Excellent This Year

New York, June 4.

America's hopes for victory against the British International Polo Squad this week received a severe jolt last night when it was announced that injuries suffered in a fall last Wednesday would keep Cecil Smith, America's greatest player, out of action.

The announcement said Smith would definitely be out of play in the opening match today and gave no assurances that he might be able to appear in later matches. He suffered injuries Wednesday when he was thrown from his horse during a practice match at Miniola.—United Press.

"Little World Series" Now Under Way

Huge Crowds Watching Baseball in Japan

Tokyo, June 4.

Interest in Japan's "Little World Series" mounted sharply today as Waseda tied Keio in their traditional annual baseball battle forcing a play-off tomorrow. Keio won the tussle yesterday 5-0, but Waseda rallied today to beat Keio 4-3.

Doors of the vast Meiji Shrine baseball stadium will be thrown open at 5 o'clock tomorrow morning to admit fans seven hours before the game begins, while the Japan Broadcasting Corporation will waive its rule of no baseball results on weekdays to report the event.

This is the first time in four years that three games have been required to decide a win in the collegiate baseball tournament, while it is the first time that Keio and Waseda, traditional rivals, have had to play three games in one season against each other.—Domei.

Bubbling Well Bowls Section Opens

Capt. Smyth Rolls Silver Jack in Brief Ceremony

The opening of the Police Bubbling Well Lawn Bowls Section took place at 11 a.m. yesterday with Capt. M. Smyth rolling the silver jack. Supt. J. Clissold, President of the Club, with a few well chosen words, handed him the silver jack suitably inscribed. Capt. Smyth replied appropriately. Various rinks, pairs and singles were chosen after tiffin and play continued until tea.

With the attendance of the ladies, this portion of the day's programme proved highly successful, play continuing until sundown. The results were:—

Thomson (skip)	19	Cranfield (skip)	12
Benton		Franklin	
Fabian		Benstead	
Clark		Swartzell	
Tabrum (skip)	19	d'Aquino (skip)	9
Darvill		Rossington	
Dunlop		Goloobkoff	
Beloshenko		Cooper	
Aiers (skip)	23	Marks (skip)	14
Pike		Dudley	
Daw		Weeks	
Walker		Gavan	

Owing to sealed handicaps, Thomson's rink won the first competition of the day.

Bears To Meet Georgia Tech Again

Berkeley, Cal, May 31.

University of California football officials announced today the Bears have agreed to renew their football rivalry with Georgia Tech this year with a game on December 30 at Atlanta.

A return game will be played in Berkeley in 1940. The two teams first met in the Rose Bowl in 1929, when Georgia Tech won, 8-7.—United Press.

Girl Cricketer's 1,000 Runs in Sydney

Sydney, (By Mail).

Kathleen Smith, star Queensland girl cricketer, reached her 1,000 runs for the season during the inter-state carnival at Sydney.

Miss Smith, who is regarded as a certainty to play for Australia against England at the end of the year, also took 62 wickets in club cricket at an average of 4.04 runs.

Victoria won the women's Inter-State Premiership at the Carnival, New South Wales, Queensland and South Australia also participating.—Reuter.

Hammer Throw Record

New York, June 3.

John McLaughry, captain-elect of the Brown University football team, established a new meet record for the hammer throw today when he won that event with a toss of 180 feet 11¾ inches during the New York Athletic Club track and field games at Travers Island.—United Press.

Germany Ahead Of Britain

British Players Defeated In First Two Singles of Davis Cup Play

Berlin, June 4.

Germany is almost certain of entering the final of the European Zone of the Davis Cup following her two victories in the opening singles against Great Britain.

Roderick Menzel, the Sudeten German, gained the first triumph when he defeated C. E. Hare, who retired owing to a strained muscle after losing the first two sets, 6-0, 6-1. The Briton had strained himself in training the previous day.

The second match also resulted in an easy win for the German representative, Henner Henkel, who beat R. Shayes by 6-2, 6-3, 6-1.

Germany will now require to win only one of the three remaining matches to qualify for the final.—Reuter.

Yugoslavia Wins

Zagreb, June 4.

Yugoslavia won two singles matches here yesterday against Belgium in the semi-finals of the European Davis Cup play.

Franjo Punchec of Yugoslavia defeated Andre Lacroix of Belgium 1-6, 6-3, 6-3, 7-5.

Drage Mittich of Yugoslavia later beat Pierre Geelhand of Belgium 6-1, 6-4, 6-1.—United Press.

U. S. C. Baseballer Signed by Yanks

Los Angeles, May 22.

John Ramsey, centre fielder on the University of Southern California's baseball team said today he had been signed by the New York Yankees.

Ramsey leads the California intercollegiate batting race with an average of 400. His fielding average is 911.—United Press.

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League Leading Reds Beaten

Boston Bees Steal Victory from Favourites But Lose Services of Pitcher; Ball Smashes Nose

New York, June 3.

CASEY Stengel's Boston Bees stole a 4-3 victory over the Cincinnati Reds, National League baseball leaders, today but lost the services of their star right-handed pitcher, Jim Turner. Ival Goodman's line drive in the sixth inning smashed Turner squarely in the face, fracturing his nose. Turner will be benched several weeks. In their half of the same inning the Bees scored the tying and winning runs on Catcher Al Lopez' homer with one on base. This blow sent Pitcher Lee Griscon to the showers. Relief hurlers prevented either side from scoring thereafter.

"Poosh-'em-up" Tony Lazzeri, the veteran infielder, helped the Giants take their second straight victory over St. Louis today, 6-5. Lazzeri clouted a homer with one aboard in the seventh inning. He scored two other runs and helped drive Lon Warneke, ace of the Cardinals' pitching staff, to the showers.

A six-run rally in the eighth inning gave the Chicago Cubs a 10-5 victory over Brooklyn. Earl Whitehill and Jack Russell pitched for the League champions, and Russell got a homer in the fifth inning.

The Pittsburgh Pirates whipped Philadelphia, 10-7, collecting five runs in the eighth inning. Gus Suhr, Pittsburgh first-baseman, led the batting attack with three hits, driving in four runs.

Yankees Win

In the American League the Yankees coasted to their third straight victory over Cleveland, 3-2. George Selkirk's double in the eighth inning scored Bill Dickey with the winning run. The Indians were able to get only five hits off the combined pitching of Bump Hadley and Johnny Murphy.

Angelo Guilieni, second-string catcher of the Washington Club, became the goat as the Senators lost to Chicago, 8-7. Giulieni dropped the ball in the last half of the ninth inning while tagging Gerald Walker. The error permitted Walker to score the winning run. Sam West's home run with two on base had given the Senators the lead in the fourth inning, but the White Sox tied the count in the eighth. This defeat enabled the Philadelphia Athletics to climb to sixth place by virtue of two victories over St. Louis, 5-3 and 8-6.

Successive singles by Earl Brucker, Ben Chapman and Bill Nagel gave the Athletics two runs in the ninth inning of the opener. George McQuinn got a homer for the Browns with one on base, and another with the bases empty.

Another ninth-inning spree accounted for the second victory. Joe Gantenbein homered, Chapman homered with two aboard and Bob Johnson singled, providing four runs in the final inning.

The Boston-Detroit game was rained out.

National League

	R.	H.	E.
St. Louis	5	7	0
New York	6	11	2
Batteries: Warneke, Shoun, Davis and Owen, Franks; Gumbert, Brown and Danning.			
Pittsburgh	10	14	2
Philadelphia	7	16	2
Batteries: Bowman, Brown, Swift and Berres; Poindexter, Hollingsworth and Davis, Millies.			
Chicago	10	14	2
Brooklyn	5	8	0
Batteries: Whitehill, J. Russell and Hartnett; Presnell, Hutchinson and Todd.			
Cincinnati	3	9	1
Boston	4	10	1
Batteries: Grissom, Davis, Livengood and Lombardi, Hersmberger; Turner, Sullivan and Lopez.			

American League

New York	3	10	2
Cleveland	2	5	2
Batteries: Hadley, Murphy and Dickey; Harder and Pytlak.			
Washington	7	12	2
Chicago	8	8	0
Batteries: Carrasquel, Kelly, Krakauskas and Early, Giulieni; Rigney, Smith, Brown and Tresh.			
Philadelphia*	5	7	0
St. Louis	3	9	0
Batteries: Beckman and Brucker, Hayes; Gill and Glenn.			
Philadelphia**	8	17	1
St. Louis	6	10	1
Batteries: Ross, Joyce and Hayes; Lawson, Tromer and Glenn.			

Boston-Detroit—rained out.
*—Opener. **—Nightcap.

Standings

NATIONAL LEAGUE

	Won	Lost	Pct.
Cincinnati	27	14	.659
St. Louis	23	16	.590
Pittsburgh	21	18	.538
Chicago	21	19	.525
Brooklyn	18	19	.486
New York	19	22	.463
Boston	15	24	.385
Philadelphia	13	25	.342

AMERICAN LEAGUE

New York	32	7	.821
Boston	22	13	.629
Chicago	21	17	.553
Cleveland	19	18	.514
Detroit	17	23	.425
Washington	15	24	.385
Philadelphia	16	22	.421
St. Louis	11	29	.275

—United Press.

Nine Runs Scored In One Inning

Marines Inflict Severe Defeat on U.S.S. Augusta At Race Course

A hectic inning in the sixth in which nine runs were scored enabled the First Battalion, the 1938 City League champions, to inflict a heavy defeat of 15 to 7 upon the U.S.S. Augusta in a friendly contest which was the second baseball game of the season on the Race Course diamond yesterday.

The league winners collected half a dozen runs in the first three innings but allowed the sailors to come back with three tallies in the second half of the third and three more in the fourth to dead-lock the score.

Stepping up to the plate in the sixth frame, the left-handed First Baseman King smacked a scorching ground shot along the third-base line and the hitter went galloping round the bases for a perfect home run, breaking the tie.

Left Fielder Ashley, one of Shanghai's leading batsmen, flied out to second but Pasko drew a free pass. The latter stole second before Olsen's high fly was pulled down by Third Baseman Tierny.

Bases Full

Although two down, Goush, the Marine second sackman, did not give up and he slapped a pretty shot toward right field, sending Pasko home with it. Mudry was given a base on balls and when Radd got first on a fielders' choice, the bases were all loaded.

Third Baseman Grow came to bat and succeeded in rapping out a hot grounder which proved too difficult for King to handle. This shot pushed both Goush and Mudry home. The Navy moundsman, Chirdon, became rattled and issued two free tickets, one to Houston and the other to King. The last ticket automatically squeezed Radd home for the fifth tally of the inning.

With the bases still loaded, Ashley finally solved Chirdon's problem by an extremely long bingle over to the Parsees cricket grounds and ended a 9-run barrage.

The victorious First Battalion started the game off with a fine break in the opening inning in which an error by Tierny at third on Ashley's shot, a passed ball by James and a single by Right Fielder Olsen gave the Marines their first run.

Pitcher Falters

Nalley, the Navy team's pitcher, failed to settle down and in the second inning issued two walks to Mudry and Crow, who scored on a high drive by Davis.

The third inning became more serious for the puzzled Nalley. Pasko started the fireworks with a terrific blow toward centre-left, the ball rolling toward the Cricket Club premises for the game's first four-bagger. Olsen and Goush were unsuccessful but Mudry put life into the Battalion squad with a grounder along the first-base line. He pilfered second before Radd singled. Grow lined out a drive into left field where Elmson failed to make good. The mistake cost the sailors two more runs. After this inning Nalley and Chirdon interchanged their position.

However, the Augusta crew came bounding back as led by Nalley, who slugged the ball between first and second for the first Navy hit. King was enlivened by Nalley's attempt and he whacked a screaming drive over left field into the Shanghai Junior Golf Club premises. Later on, Tierny singled also to the left and came home when Pasko made a wild throw to second.

Marines Forge Ahead

The Marines' lead was cut from 6-3 to 6-all when the "Auggies" gathered three more runs in the fourth inning off the deliveries of Lefty Houston, who relieved Davis. The southpaw was socked for two hits. But he was not the only one to blame as the first run against him was started by an error in centre field where Mudry dropped Chirdon's fly. Then mistakes by King and Grow were responsible for two runs marked against the relief hurler, who in fact gave away only one tally made by James who singled and later crossed the plate on Beck's Texas-leaguer.

1st Battalion

	AB	R	1B	PO	A	E
King, lb.	4	2	1	5	0	1
Ashley, lf.	5	1	1	0	0	0
Pasko, c.	3	3	1	8	1	1
Olsen, rf.	5	0	1	0	0	0
Goush, 2b.	5	1	1	2	1	0
Mudry, cf.	3	3	1	1	1	1
Radd, ss.	5	2	1	3	1	0
Grow, 3b.	3	2	2	1	1	2
Davis, p.	2	0	1	0	2	0
Houston, p.	1	1	0	1	0	0
Koch, p.	0	0	0	0	1	0

Augusta

	36	15	10	21	9	4
Beck, cf.	4	0	1	2	0	0
Tierny, 3b	4	1	1	2	3	1
Harrington, 1b.	2	1	0	7	0	1
Chirdon, ss., p.	2	1	0	1	1	0
Rievia, rf.	3	1	0	0	0	0
Elmson, lf.	1	0	0	0	0	2
Flippo, lf.	1	0	0	0	0	0
James, c.	3	1	1	7	1	0
Nalley, p., ss.	1	1	1	1	2	0
King, 2b.	3	1	1	1	2	1
	24	7	5	21	9	5

SCORE BY INNINGS

1st Bn.	1	2	3	0	0	9	0	—15
Augusta	0	0	3	3	0	0	1	—7

Earned runs, 1st Battalion 10; Augusta 3; Two base hits, Grow 1; Home runs, Pasko, King, Ashley 1 each; First on balls, off Nalley 2, off Chirdon 5, off Davis 1, off Houston 4, off Koch 2; Struck out, by Nalley 1, by Chirdon 6, by Davis 2, by Houston 3, by Koch 2; Left on bases, by 1st Battalion 7, by Augusta 4; Double plays, by Grow-Goush-King 1; Wild pitches, by Chirdon 1, by Davis 1; Passed balls, by James 1, by Pasko 1; Hit by pitcher, Flippo by Houston; Stolen bases, by Pasko 1, by Mudry 2, by Tierny 1, by Harrington 1, by Chirdon 1, by Elmson 1; Sacrifice hits, by Radd 1; Time of game, 2 hrs. 5 mins.

Umpires childress (plate) and Segal (base).

Japan to Participate In Games at Vienna

Anti-Comintern Contests Next August

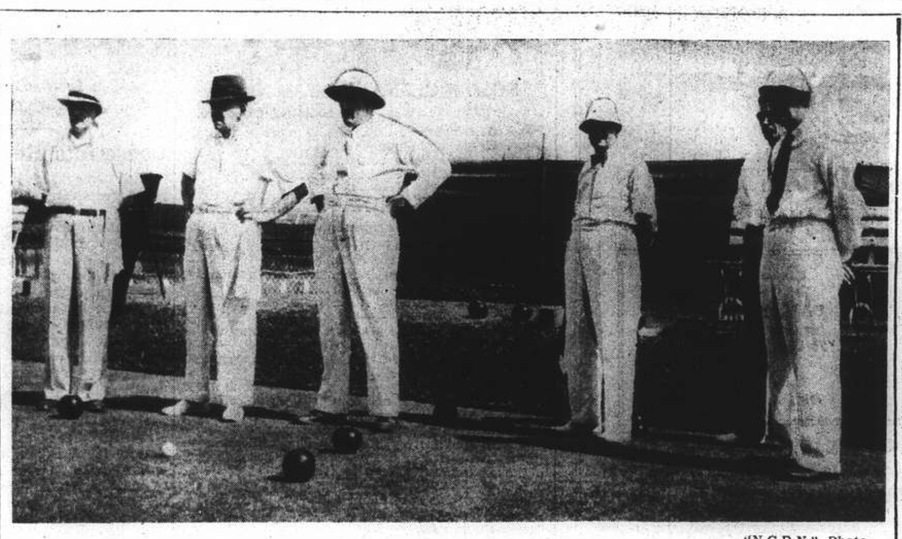
Tokyo, June 4.

Japan will participate in the "anti-Comintern Olympic games" in Vienna next August, Mr. Tadaoki Yamamoto, President of the Japan Students' Track and Field Federation, declared yesterday.

"We regret that the International Students' Federation, through personal feelings, has refused to recognize the Vienna meet and decided to hold it at a different place," Mr. Yamamoto said. "But we are definitely participating in the original Vienna meet and intend to show our true sportsmanship and our friendship toward the Powers which are our friends."

A message from Berlin stated that the German Amateur Athletic Association repudiated the recent decision of the International Students' Federation not to recognize the Vienna meet. The Amateur Athletic Association was determined to hold the games in Vienna, the dispatch said.

The International Students' Federation was said to be strongly influenced by British officials. The body wishes to have the meet held in either Amsterdam or Monte Carlo. The A.A.A. has announced the names of the countries that will take part. The meet will be staged in Vienna August 20. The anti-Comintern nations, Japan, Italy, Germany, and eight other countries of north and central Europe will participate. America, England and France will not send athletes.—Domei.



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Lawn Bowls Enthusiasts

A group at the Shanghai Lawn Bowls Club including R. R. Russell, F. M. Young, J. Day, O. C. Kench, L. C. Healy and J. P. Stalker.

Pitching Honours Go to Yankees

Four of First Five Places In American League Held By New York Twirlers

New York, June 4.

The world champion New York Yankees held a virtual monopoly on pitching honours in the American League when the season's records for individual twirlers were compiled last night.

Yankee moundmen held four of the first five positions in the junior loop standings, and three of the New Yorkers are yet to drop their first game this season.

Monte Pearson topped both leagues in performance with five victories and no defeats for a perfect average. The other New Yorkers with perfect records were Irving "Bump" Hadley and Spike Donald who have each won four for the Yanks.

Charlie "Red" Ruffing, who led the Yanks to 21 victories last year, topped Pearson in the number of victories won, but his one defeat this season dropped him out of the perfect class. Ruffing has won 7 and dropped only 1.

The only non-Yankee among the first five in the American League was Tommy Bridges of Detroit who has hurled the Tigers to 6 victories and has gone down to defeat only once.

Whitlow Wyatt of the Brooklyn Dodgers continued to lead the way in the National League, but was tied this week by Bill McGee of the St. Louis Cardinals. Each has won four and lost none.

Paul Derringer of the Cincinnati Reds has won six but trailed Wyatt and McGee because of one defeat. Lee Grissom, also of the Reds, has five victories and one defeat.

Lon Warneke of the St. Louis Cardinals and Lou Fette of Boston were tied with six victories and two defeats.

The following are the detailed standings in both leagues.

American League

	Won	Lost	Pct.
Pearson	5	0	1.000
Hadley	4	0	1.000
Donald	4	0	1.000
Ruffing	7	1	.875
Bridges	6	1	.857

National League

Wyatt	4	0	1.000
McGee	4	0	1.000
Derringer	6	1	.857
Grissom	5	1	.833
Warneke	6	2	.750
Fette	6	2	.750

—United Press.

Denny Shute Shoots Sub-Par Golf

Ralph Guldahl Still In The Lead

New York, June 3.

Denny Shute, former PGA and British Open champion, came back to a good chance for the top prize of $1,000 in the Goodall Round-Robin Tournament today by touring the Fresh Meadow Country Club course in 67, three strokes under par.

Despite Shute's fine showing, however, Ralph Guldahl, U.S. Open winner the last two years, was still holding the lead.—United Press.

Belmont Stakes Won By Johnstown

New York, June 4.

Mighty Johnstown, winner of the Kentucky Derby, outran a field of seven three-year-olds here yesterday to win the Belmont Stakes by five lengths in one of the greatest races of his career.

Adding another $25,000 to his $103,295 all-time earnings, Johnstown covered the mile and a half track in 2 minutes, 29⅘ seconds, matching the winning time of two great past winners, Twenty Grand and War Admiral. Belay came home second, five lengths behind Johnstown, and Gilded Knight was third.—United Press.

Sad End to Dreams of South Seas

Seasickness Halts Plans Of Nine Months

Honolulu, June 3.

Mr. and Mrs. James Seater for nine months dreamed of a South Seas cruise while they prepared their trim little ketch, the Vega, for the voyage. Yesterday their dream became a reality and they set sail for the blue equatorial waters.

They returned to Honolulu today, explaining that Mrs. Seater proved to be too poor a sailor for such a long voyage. She became so seasick when 25 miles from Honolulu that they were forced to return to port. —United Press.

Louis to Meet Galento At Yankee Stadium

New York, June 3.

The heavyweight championship fight between Joe Louis and Tony ("Two-ton") Galento on June 28 will be held at the Yankee Stadium, Mike Jacobs, the promoter, announced today. Jacobs said the tickets would go on sale Monday, with the best seats selling for $27.40.—United Press.

Club Hippique's Last Gymkhana of Season

BY "THE CHASER"

The Club Hippique International held their last gymkhana of the season yesterday morning in their paddock at Hungjao Road and activities commenced at 9.30 a.m. with the Junior Jumping competition.

The standard of jumping throughout the morning was remarkably high and George Sokoloff, the fourteen-year-old son of Capt. M. M. Sokoloff, displayed excellent horsemanship in the Junior event and although he did not take first place in the event he was awarded the highest points for horsemanship. Riding San Carlo an entirely strange pony which was lent to him at the last moment by Mr. Arnold he did well to take third place with eleven faults. Helmut Siemssen who competed on two ponies, Refinement and Tasso, was awarded first and second places. The first place went to him when he rode Refinement to complete a faultless round while Tasso had four faults chalked up against him.

The only other event of the day was the Team Jumping event and this was won by Mrs. Watkin Williams, riding Paddy, and Mr. Widmer on Chiki, whose faults totalled fifteen for a course of sixteen obstacles. The second prize went to Mr. W. R. Johnston on Happy-go-Lucky and Mr. Freeman Thomas on Escapade who had 23 faults. The team of Miss Andrews on Idiot's Delight and Mr. Baldensperger on The Jacana was third with 26 faults.

The best individual round was done by Mr. Widmer who knocked one obstacle and consequently had four faults. Mrs. Watkin Williams and Mr. Johnston tied for second place with eleven faults.

"B" Coy. Annual Rifle Meet

Lieut. Davie Wins Grand Aggregate: All Events Closely Contested

"B" Coy., S.V.C., had a gala day at the Rifle Range yesterday, when they held their Annual Weapon Training Competitions. Good scores were handed in at the end of the various competitions, most events being closely contested. The weather was exceptionally good, though in the forenoon the sun shone too brightly. The old maxim "Lights up, sights up" was responsible for the upsetting of many scores, as most of the junior privates were puzzled by the differences in sight-setting. The Annual Rifle Competition was held in the morning commencing at 9 a.m., adjourning for lunch at the Range Canteen at 12.30 p.m. Immediately after lunch the Light Automatic events were fired off. A total of 70 men fired in the Rifle Events.

Thanks were expressed to Capt. F. J. W. Focken, Superintendent of Weapon Training, and to Maj. F. A. R. Leitao, Chief Supply Officer, the former for his excellent supervision on the firing point, and the latter for doing sterling work in the statistics of the shoot.

The Company then repaired to the S.V.C. Gymnasium where they were "At Home" to their lady guests, who were, unfortunately, unable to attend at the Range as had been the practice. Mrs. Barton, wife of the O.C. "B" Company, presented the prizes directly after tea.

The following is the result of the day's shoot:

EVENT 1

1st Prize:—Pte. Noble
2nd Prize:—Sgt. Browne
3rd Prize:—Pte. N. Schusterovitz
4th Prize:—Pte. Buckley

EVENT 2

1st Prize:—Pte. W. Quelch
2nd Prize:—Pte. Cook
3rd Prize:—Sgt. Stone
4th Prize:—C.S.M. Forrest

EVENT 3

1st Prize:—Pte. Grundt
2nd Prize:—L/Cpl. Kaye
3rd Prize:—Pte. W. H. Harvey
4th Prize:—Lt. Davie

EVENT 4

1st Prize:—Cpl. Slight
2nd Prize:—L/Cpl. Bulldeath
3rd Prize:—L/Cpl. F. Wolnizer
4th Prize:—Pte. Sinclair

EVENT 5—LADIES' PRIZE

Miss E. Encarnacao—L/Cpl. Bulldeath
Mrs. E. Dean—Sgt. Stone
Miss O. Luchenkoff—Lt. Davie

GRAND AGGREGATE AND OFFICERS' CUP.—Lt. R. Davie.

"A1" CLASS AGGREGATE.—L/Cpl. R. G. Bulldeath.

"A" CLASS AGGREGATE.—Cpl. I. Schusterovitz.

"B" CLASS AGGREGATE.—Cpl. R. W. Slight.

"C" CLASS AGGREGATE.—Pte. W. Quelch.

CONSOLATION AGGREGATE.—Sgt. A. England.

BULL'S EYE PRIZE.—L/Cpl. R. G. Bulldeath.

INNISKILLINGS' CUP.—Lt. R. Davie.

LOH CHALLENGE CUP.—No. 2 Platoon, Lt. R. Davie, Sgt. A. England, Cpl. L. Schusterovitz, L/Cpl. Mackenzie, L/Cpl. Westwood, L/Cpl. Roche, L/Cpl. Bulldeath, Pte. Stoopin, Pte. H. England, Pte. Buckley.

JOHNSON CUP.—Sgt. A. England.

HORNELL CUP.—Lt. K. W. Greiner; B. A. T. CUP.—Lewis Gun Pairs; L/Cpl. T. F. White and Pte. W. J. Cruz.

Runners-up.—Cpl. L. Schusterovitz and L/Cpl. R. G. Bulldeath.

LEWIS GUN CUP.—No. 1 Platoon, Cpl. R. W. Slight; Pte. J. A. Sinclair; Pte. T. A. Katemopoulos; L/Cpl. T. F. White.

MAY MONTHLY CUP

A1 Class:—L/Cpl. Bulldeath
A Class:—L/Cpl. Kaye
B Class:—Sgt. Barry
C Class:—Pte. Quelch

JUNE MONTHLY CUP

A1 Class:—Lt. Davie
A Class:—L/Cpl. Mackenzie
B Class:—Cpl. Slight
C Class:—Pte. Quelch
High Gun:—L/Cpl. Bulldeath

Cathay Theatre . . .
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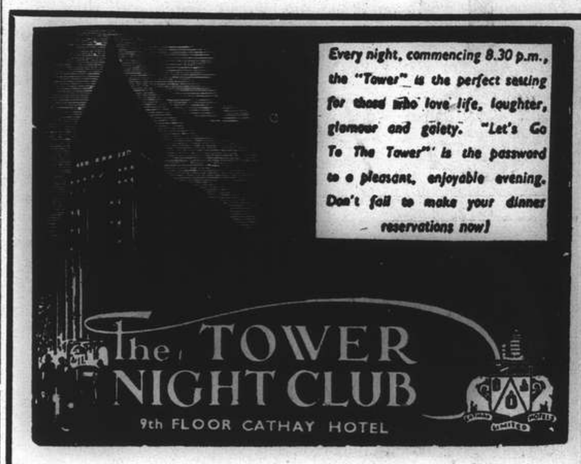

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A TRAGIC OUTCOME

The dismay which was felt in Great Britain when it was learned that all hope for those remaining in the sunken submarine Thetis had been abandoned was duplicated here on Saturday morning when the news reached Shanghai. The despatches, which had been received until late the previous night, were more than optimistic, suggesting that there was every reason to expect that the whole of the crew, and experts in the vessel for the purpose of carrying out acceptance tests would be saved, and indeed the tone of the cables was such that that happy issue was taken almost for granted. Those hopes were dashed to the ground and Great Britain and the world were to witness one of the largest, if not the largest tragedy in the history of submarine navigation. The whole affair has already given rise to a great deal of criticism, much of it probably ill-founded and arising out of the natural sorrow for the deceased and their dependents, or based upon those imperfect reports which are inevitable in such a time of stress and agitation. For the time being it would be as well to suspend judgment until the fullest possible investigation has been made. No efforts should be spared to raise the sunken vessel, and take her to dock when it may be possible to discover how the accident happened, and why 97 men imprisoned in it were unable to follow the example of the four fortunate survivors who were lucky enough to effect their escape before something happened which denied the same to their fellows. The original cause of the accident has to be found, as well as the whole story of what happened in the submarine until all those aboard apparently succumbed, even before, it is suggested, the time for the expiry of the air supply available came round. It is reported that some of the survivors stated that at the time they left the vessel some of the older men were already groggy, and, if this indeed proves to be the case, investigation as to the cause and methods of averting similar occurrences in the future must necessarily follow.

There seems to be every prospect that this will be the case, for the latest messages report that hawsers have now been passed under the unfortunate vessel, and that, after a number of other preliminaries have been carried out, attempts will be made to raise her and tow her into shallower water, where it will be possible to refloat her and get her into dock. The present temper of public opinion in Great Britain suggests that it will not be satisfied until that has been done, and the most thorough investigation carried out to ascertain the cause of it all. With the number of such vessels which the British Navy has, and which are operating successfully and with, fortunately, a minimum of accidents, the public will want to know if there were any experimental features in the vessel which increased the risk of the men aboard, whether there was any carelessness, or oversight by those in control of it, or whether it was just one of those accidents against which human ingenuity and care could not have provided. There have been suggestions that previously during the course of her trials the Thetis did not always behave satisfactorily, but it may be assumed with justice that those in control of the vessel, as well as the experts aboard her, were reasonably satisfied of the fitness of the craft to undergo the tests through which she was to be put. Men realizing the risks they were running would not lightly embark upon such manœuvres if they were not certain, so far as humanity ever can be sure, that the submarine was in a fit condition to meet all the demands which were to be made upon her, and what has to be discovered now is whether the accident was due to faulty design, negligence on the part of those operating the vessel, or merely one of those acts of God against which no precautions can prevail. Many will ask what happened in the escape hutches which prevented the others reaching safety in the same manner as the lucky four, and none of these questions can be satisfactorily answered until the vessel has been raised and subjected to that expert scrutiny which should enable the true facts to be ascertained.

Mishaps such as these are far too expensive. There is not only the loss of the crew to be considered, and the suffering caused to their families, but there is the loss of a number of experts who will be by no means easy to replace. Their combined experience was a valuable asset to the science of building submarines, and submarine navigation in general, and much of it may take years to replace. Obviously the loss of approximately sixty men whose combined knowledge was necessary to judge the qualities of the new vessel is one which any technical service can ill afford to have inflicted upon it. It is some consolation, though at the present very small, that occurrences of this nature, properly handled and considered, add greatly to the knowledge of the science of undersea navigation. Thus the Poseidon disaster taught that it was possible to escape from a submerged vessel, and led to all the submarines in the British navy being equipped with the necessary apparatus. The experience gained by the American Navy in the manner in which so many of the crew of the Squalus were rescued, may in itself be a valuable contribution to the ensuring of greater safety for submarine crews, and it may very well be that these men, who have met their deaths in Liverpool Bay, have by their sacrifice in the course of duty made rich contributions to the same end. It is to be hoped that this is the case, for nothing is more repugnant to humanity than that life should be wasted uselessly. But it must always be remembered that these men have died for their country just as truly as if they had made the supreme sacrifice in the heat of battle, for, to change a quotation, peace hath her sacrifices no less renowned than war. It can be accepted without hesitation that the dependents of those who have perished will be cared for both through governmental action and the public itself. That has always been the case in the past, and if a public fund is started in Britain there can be no doubt that it will be readily subscribed to.

Conscripts Register

With over 220,000 men of the age of twenty years registering for military training for six months on Saturday the first phase of the application of conscription will have been passed. On June 15, it is expected that the first batch to receive training will receive their calling-up notices, after which it is believed they will go to camp on July 1. At present it is thus that they will be housed, but it is planned by the Government to erect the necessary barracks, etc., with all possible speed. This change over from voluntary to compulsory service, modified as it is, is in the nature of a very large undertaking, when it is remembered that equipment, etc., has to be prepared for this large body of soldiers, and also the great numbers which joined the Territorial Army in the period of grace which was allowed. Great Britain will, comparatively shortly, be in position to despatch a force of 500,000 men to the Continent in the event of war, and in the course of the next three years, the present anticipated duration of the present conscription measure, will have no fewer than one million men at her disposal. Much of the opposition to the Act disappeared with the assurance given by Mr. Neville Chamberlain that the new army would not be used for such things as strike breaking, though some Labour opposition still exists on the score that the Government has not compiled measures to conscript wealth in the time of war. The answer to that is that the methods of taxation employed by the Government, and the system of controlling profiteering make it certain that wealth will be obliged to do its share in the defence of the Empire, while it is to be expected that, should further measures be deemed necessary in times of war, any Government in power would have sufficient Parliamentary strength behind it to put through whatever additional legislation was considered imperative.

Touching Sympathy

One of the features in connection with the sinking of the Thetis which cannot be allowed to pass unmentioned is the sympathy which has been expressed with Great Britain in this tragedy by the press of other countries, and most notably that of Germany, where regrets are reported to have been expressed not only by the newspapers but by the German people themselves. It is one of the redeeming qualities of mankind that it can at times sympathize with the other fellow, and the expressions which it is reported have been carried in such journals as the "Deutsche Algemeine Zeitung," the "Boersen Zeitung" and the "Volkischer Beobachter" will be read by Britons with the keennest appreciation. They will be touched by these expressions of sympathy as probably by nothing else, and it will do much to mollify those hard feelings which are generated not by racial hatreds but rather by factors which are not wholly within the control of any one particular nation. These expressions of sympathy are in line with the tributes which officials visiting the capitals of the various countries in Europe pay at the shrines of their unknown soldiers, whether they were enemies or not. They are tributes to the men who gave all that they could for their own people, and this spontaneous expression of sympathy which is reported from Germany will rouse a friendly response in many a British heart. There are people both in Germany as in Great Britain who would like to see something more akin to friendship between the two countries. The people can visualize, and thousands of them are disposed to amity and a real liking, and it is no fault of theirs that better relations do not exist between them. Can it not even now be hoped that the day will come when the people of Great Britain and Germany, nay of the whole world, will come together in a closer harmony than has ever existed before? That the desire for such a thing exists is all too apparent, but yet there is missing that touch of genius which would make it a possibility.

British Foreign Policy

The whole British nation, according to the latest advices, is united in support of the new departure in foreign policy, which was announced by Mr. Chamberlain, the Prime Minister, in the House of Commons on March 31. Referring to rumours of a projeced attack by Germany on Poland, he stated that "in event of any action which clearly threatened Polish independence, and which the Polish Government accordingly considered it vital to resist with their national forces, the British Government would feel themselves bound at once to lend the Polish Government all support in their power." This was the reply to the recent manifestation of a tendency on the part of Germany to return to power politics. It in no sense weakens British determination to continue the old policy of free negotiations. On the contrary, it was only after Herr Hitler had absorbed Czechoslovakia, in defiance of his own pledged word, that the declaration was made. In the opinion of the British Government, Mr. Chamberlain emphasised, international questions are capable of solution by peaceful means, and "they would see no justification for the substitution of force or threats of force for the methods of negotiation." In a debate in Parliament a few days later on the pledge to Poland—which Lord Halifax, the Foreign Secretary, said marked "a new and momentous departure in British policy"—both the Labour and the Liberal wings of the Opposition welcomed the Government's announcement. The suggestion that the new policy is one of encirclement of Germany is simply absurd; it is a policy of self-defence, of insurance against the gradual disruption of Europe by acts of aggression against weak or helpless states by a powerful neighbour.

A COUNTRY DIARY

June 3.—I make no pretence to be a dendrologist, but a great dove of all trees continually spurs me on to identify unusual forms and to enquire into their histories: the latest tree to interest me has been a Magnolia of an evergreen variety, which is only just now bringing its great white flowers to perfection, whereas the more familiar Chinese variety (*Magnolia conspicua*) bore its mass of white blossoms on the branches of very early Spring: it is this latter tree which is so highly thought of in England where it bears the popular name of Lily Tree....though the brilliant white flakes of the flowers massed in the bare tree-top always remind me of those captive snow-storms in the little glass globes of our youth. The particular tree which caught my attention during the past month is a tall sturdy evergreen and, having visited it regularly for some weeks, I believe it to be an American variety which was introduced into England about 100 years ago under the name of *Magnolia grandiflora*: the flowers are not profuse as in the Chinese variety, but they are more than six inches across, with each outer petal the size and shape of a soup-ladle. But what interests me more than anything is the formation of the large glossy leaves, green above and brown below: these start life like a white flower-spike and if one did not know the habit of the tree (and notice the larger size of the flower-buds) one might well mistake them for flowers. The white "spike" consists of the under surface of the leaves, and if this is gently unwound the brilliant green upper-surface immediately shows: as each leaf unfolds, the white surface, by action of the light, turns yellow—then buff—and finally dark brown when the big tough leaf is fully grown. Quite interesting to me....and I am still wondering which of the twenty-odd varieties of Magnolia was first brought to Europe by M. Pierre Magnol who gave his name to the plant.

IN PARENTHESIS

Safety First

A CERTAIN bloke is such a crook that his friends always count their fingers after shaking hands with him.

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Insults

A MAN took his wife and mother-in-law to see Niagara Falls. The guide asked the two women if they'd stop talking and let the other visitors hear the roar of the water.

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Half an Hour

Walking along the street the other day, Mr. Brown met a friend and said: "By the way, Tom, what about that quid you borrowed from me a year ago?" "Well, what about?" "You said you only wanted it for a short time." "That's right," he said, "I only kept it half an hour."

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Testotal

"THE best way to reduce your weight," the doctor told him, "is to shake your head slowly and deliberately."

"Eh? And how often?"

"Every time someone says 'Will you have one?'"

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Regrets

A PROSPECTIVE tenant for a flat was being interviewed by the owner: "Of course, you have no children?" he said. "No," said the man. "Any cats or dogs?" asked the landlord—"Not a single one." "Anything at all that might make an objectionable noise." "I'm afraid there is," said the man sarcastically, "My fountain pen squeaks when I write."

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In Haste

THE parson had a reputation for elaborating details at some length in his sermons. The sexton had been laying a new carpet on the pulpit floor, and had left a number of tacks scattered about.

"Look here, James," said the parson, pointing to the tacks, "what do you suppose would happen if I stepped on one of those tacks right in the middle of my sermon?"

"Well, sir," replied the sexton, "I reckon there'd be one point you wouldn't linger on."

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Elderly Gent Explodes

"I AM a rifleman in the Territorial Army and during my holiday was stationed at Winchester Barracks.

"One morning I was served with a boiled egg stamped Dutch.

"Surely the British Army should be served with British food."

—Letter to an editor.

IF you had been in the Army in my day, sir, you would have been lucky to have had the water in which the egg was boiled is the retort of a British columnist.

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Keep Your Hair On!

Suppose you are wed to a wife who
Bedazzles the sun with her hair—
The type you have loved all your life—who
Personifies weather set fair;
Suppose, then, you'd welcome abstention
From gold: all your loved one need pack
Is a dab of this latest invention
And—presto!—she's black.

You start with a blonde in the morning,
By noon you can have a brunette:
When blonde and brunette you are scorning,
A copper-nob's easy to get:
Such changes from scientists' vials
May please ere with dabbing they're gone,
But give me the girl—despite trials—
Who keeps her hair on.

—By F. G. H. Salusbury in the "Daily Herald."

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Animal Crackers

OF all our pals the animals
There isn't one that's grander
In my esteem than that supreme
Comedian, the panda.

For here's a clown that draws the town,
And I admit with candour
I'd swap my job without a sob
For that of Ming the panda.

Now there's a life—no work, no wife—
No crises to distress you.
Just lots of laughs and photographs,
And ladies to caress you.

And yet I see if I were he
I'd be in deadly peril.
I wouldn't lack those eyes of black.
I'd soon get those from Beryl!

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Numbered

Two men were travelling in a train from London to Birmingham, when one leaned across to the other and said, "23." The second chap thought for a bit and then he started to laugh like anything. After a bit he leaned over to the first bloke and said, "105." The first bloke roared till he nearly burst himself. Then he said, "Sixteen" and they both laughed like mad. They kept on talking like this in numbers till one of them got out at Coventry. Then a chap said to the one that was left, "Excuse me, but I can't help asking you a question. I've heard you and your friend laughing whenever you said a number. Would you mind telling me what it's all about?" "Not at all," he replied. "You see my friend and I are commercial travellers, and we know a lot of jokes. For the sake of convenience we've got them all numbered, and for the sake of efficiency we don't bother to go right through a joke but only say its number."

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Superman

"CARTOONIST—caricatures—advertisements and humorous strips—fruitful ideas, endless abilities, unending experience."—From the want ads.

From which it may be assumed that we have at last found the superman, or at least, that anybody can find him by writing a letter, writes Nat Gubbins to the "Sunday Express."

Of course, it is difficult to understand why he is unemployed, unless the explanation is that genius is often unrecognized until after death.

But even if this is true in the case of "Cartoonist," he has been big enough to foresee his fate and forestall it.

Not only are his abilities endless but his experience unending.

If this means anything at all it means that he believes in his future existence beyond the grave. It may also mean that he believes in his existence before birth.

In other words, he believes in himself as an eternal cartoonist who may have dashed off one of his earlier little sketches on a piece of rock in ancient Egypt and will go on drawing cartoons for ever and ever and ever.

Personally, I feel rather sorry for him. I would hate to write a column for ever and ever and ever. I would like to stop this very minute.

But since he has had so many chances and will have so many more we need not waste sympathy on him because he is out of work during this short span.

THE WEATHER

Temperature near Holy Trinity Cathedral Shanghai 24 hours ending 7 p.m.:—

Yesterday	Min. 65.5	Max. 87.0
Same date, 1938	Min. 68.5	Max. 92.0

Rainfall nil.

Temperature at Siccawei:—

Yesterday	Min. 63.3	Max. 89.4
Same date, 1938	Min. 66.7	Max. 89.4

Siccawei's Report

State on the morning of the 3rd:—Low and unsteady pressure over Japan: rather normal and steady over China. South-westerly to north-westerly winds to the north of the Saddles: north-easterly in the south. Fine weather in the north. Cloudy in our Valley.

State on the morning of the 4th:—Fine and hot weather. Easterly breezes. Normal and steady pressure.

Probabilities, 4.30 p.m. yesterday:—Fine and hot weather, cloudy in places with south-westerly to north-westerly winds around Shantung: northerly to easterly over our regions and the Eastern Sea.—Siccawei Observatory.

Disaster To Submarine Shocks Britain

Demand Made For Fullest Enquiry Into Loss Of Thetis : Newspapers Speculate On Cause Of Tragedy and Failure Of Rescue Efforts

SPECIAL TO THE "N.C.D.N."

London, June 4.

NATIONAL sorrow over the disaster to the British submarine Thetis, which resulted in the loss of 98 lives, found expression through the British Broadcasting Corporation last night, when the announcer, after giving an official statement that all hope had been abandoned, stated that there would be a short silence. "These men, sailors and civilians," he said, "died at their posts of duty. We feel that it will be in accordance with the wishes of our listeners if we express our respect for the men, and sympathy for the bereaved, in this way."

It is learned that hawsers have been placed under the Thetis, but that it will not be possible to raise her before Tuesday. What went wrong in the Thetis after four men had escaped, asks Lieutenant-Commander Kenneth Edwards, the Naval Correspondent of the "Sunday Times," in the course of an article today on the disaster.

Unless the vessel is raised, he declares, it is improbable that the reason will ever be known. It seems clear, however, that either a man about to escape was drowned in the escape chamber and his body jammed the hatch, or it was decided by those inside the submarine to abandon this form of escape (by the Davis apparatus).

Escape chambers, the correspondent asserts, will work perfectly well if a submarine is anything approaching an even keel, although each escape means that two tons of water will enter the submarine. If a submarine is at an angle of over 30 degrees, as was the Thetis, it might be impossible to confine the water to the bilges. A situation might have arisen in which the ingress of more water would have flooded the electric batteries. This was to be avoided at all costs, since sea water, if it comes in contact with electric batteries, produces chlorine gas.

Dealing with the difficulties of salvage attempts, Lieutenant-Commander Edwards says it was only for about 45 minutes in every six hours that the tidal stream was sufficiently slack to allow of divers working. The first consideration of divers was to get air into the submarine. This would have been a difficult task at the best of times, but with the submarine standing on its nose and swinging in the tide, the difficulties were magnified enormously.

A Hole to Safety

It has been suggested, the correspondent continues, that since the stern of the submarine at one period was above the surface, a hole might have been cut in this to release the imprisoned men. That part of the stern above water was, however, a mass of tanks. If a hole had been cut in the hull, there would still have been a number of bulkheads and stiffening frames between the men and their would-be rescuers.

The best brains of the country and the most up-to-date salvage equipment were enlisted in the attempt to raise the submarine far enough for an escape hole to be cut. The battle of man against sea, however, is never so grim as in cases of salvage—particularly when salvage is being attempted against time.

Lt.-Commander Edwards here recalls that months were taken to raise the sunken submarine M-2. The fact was that, on each of two occasions the submarine was raised so that parts were above water, something failed to withstand the strain and she sank back again to the depths.—Reuter.

Full Explanation Demanded

London, June 4.

A full explanation as to why, though the hull of the Thetis stuck 18 feet above water, rescuers failed to save the men entombed inside, is demanded by British newspapers in leading articles commenting on the disaster, which resulted in the death of 98 persons.

While every praise is given the workers, who strove to reach the men aboard the submarine, many questions are raised about the equipment at their disposal.

"Nobody suggests," says the "Evening Standard," "that the Admiralty did not work desperately and with every energy, but the ship's hull stood 18 feet above water. Was it not possible, with all the horse-power of the Merseyside at their command, to hold it until essential equipment arrived for breathing fresh air into the condemned cell?

"Was it possible to despatch a salvage ship earlier? What is the full explanation of the changes in the Admiralty's statements from hope to despair, and then back again to faint hope? These questions," adds the "Evening Standard," "are on all men's lips."

"Reynolds's Illustrated News" asks. "How did it happen? Could it have been avoided? These questions," it asserts, "cry for an answer through the nation's anguish, and they must be answered fully and publicly. That is a debt of honour to the dead and a burden on the consciences of the living."

A Thin Steel Wall

The "Sunday Express" declares that, "apart from the horror at the fate of the dead, another emotion stirs citizens—determination to know the reason why rescuers, separated from the trapped men only by a thin steel wall, which they could see and clamber over and explore, failed to get them out in time. Perhaps," it adds, "all these questions can be answered by the Admiralty to the complete satisfaction of the public. The sooner this is done the better."

"The tragedy," says the "Observer," "is the worst that has befallen a submarine flotilla in time of peace, and an investigation into its cause will be a matter of acute universal concern. The diving bell apparatus, by which more than half of those imprisoned in the American submarine Squalus were rescued the other day, would not appear to have had any chance of success in the plight by which the Thetis was overtaken, but there will be a strong demand that the best official and scientific energies shall be freshly applied in aid of men whose lives are dedicated to the nation's safety and whose dauntlessness is part of the nation's honour."

102 Men Were Aboard

Although salvage operations continued without interruption yesterday, late in the afternoon the Admiralty stated that they could no longer hoped that further lives could be saved.

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Foremost Experts Lost in Tragedy

Designers, Builders Among Victims; Newspapers Ask Many Questions

SPECIAL TO THE "N.C.D.N."

London, June 4.

Some of the best submarine designing and building experts in Britain are said to be among the men who met their end in the ill-fated Thetis.

Figuratively speaking, the pages devoted to the Thetis disaster in the Sunday newspapers today read like a huge question mark, and are eloquently expressive of the nation's natural desire for the fullest information about a tragedy of such magnitude, in circumstances so bewildering to the layman.

Some papers print lists of questions—spread over two pages in one case—to which Naval and other experts will contribute answer, the chief purpose of which is to seek to reassure readers that all measures possible were taken to save the lives of the man.

The result of the Admiralty Court of Enquiry—whether to be held in public or in the usual Naval Court hitherto it is not known—will be awaited with intense eagerness by the public, as will any preliminary statement which might be made in Parliament when it reassembles tomorrow.

Rear-Admiral B. A. Fraser, Third Sea Lord of the Admiralty, is now in Liverpool, where he arrived from London late last night. Out at sea, not many miles away, regulation wreck marks indicate the place where the Thetis sank.—Reuter.

American Sympathy

New York, June 3.

"It must fill our sailors with regret that we are so far away, for what might not the submarine rescue ship Falcon have accomplished if she had been only a few hours from England," declares the "New York Times" in commenting on the disaster to the British submarine Thetis. The Falcon played a leading role in the rescue of the men entombed in the American submarine Squalus.—Reuter.

Regret in Germany

Berlin, June 4.

The disaster to the new British submarine Thetis has evoked profound regret among the German people. Every phase of rescue work was published here in long telegrams, and the public followed them with keen interest.

The "Deutsche Allgemeine Zeitung" expresses sympathy with the relatives of the victims, while the "Boersen Zeitung" voices German admiration for the "silent heroism of the sailor."

The "Voelkischer Beobachter" remarks that a "chain of most unfortunate circumstances obviously sealed the fate of the crew." The newspaper refers to the criticism of the British press, asking whether all possible precautions were taken prior to the trial cruise, but adds that this matter solely concerns the British authorities.—Reuter.

French, German Sympathy

Paris, June 4.

The Ministry of Navy has sent a telegram to the British Admiralty expressing deep regret at the Thetis catastrophe.—Havas.

Herr Hitler's Condolences

Berlin, June 4.

The condolences of the German people and of himself personally were sent to the British Government in a telegram from Herr Hitler today, in connection with the tragedy of the British submarine Thetis.—Havas.

Herr Hitler Attacks Versailles Treaty

Historic Basis of British Encirclement Policy

Cassel, June 4.

A bitter attack against the Versailles Treaty was delivered by Herr Hitler here today, speaking at the Congress of German War Veterans. He attempted to prove that Great Britain had already followed the policy of encirclement in 1914 against the Reich.

Alluding to the situation on the eve of the outbreak of the world war, the Fuerher stated: "The German Government of yore did not have any aims in the war but the Treaty of Versailles revealed what were the war aims of the allies: the conquest of German colonies, the annihilation of German trade. These were the aims of the British policy of encirclement before 1914."

Herr Hitler then pointed out that the German Government in 1914 did not take the necessary precautions to face Great Britain, neglecting the military instruction of the nation. The new Reich, however, has learnt its lesson.

"The German policy towards the British encirclement manoeuvres has altered completely. Today there is at the head of the German people a soldier and no more a Bethmann-Hollweg. Our duty is to draw the attention of the country to the similarity in the aims of the policy of encirclement today and then.—Havas.

British Youth Answers Army Service Order

220,000 Register Under Military Training Act

SPECIAL TO THE "N.C.D.N."

London, June 3.

Over 220,000 men of the age of 20 enrolled today for six months' military training under the new Military Training Act. They paraded at labour exchanges throughout the country at hours determined by the initial letters of their surnames in alphabetical order.

All classes were represented, including students, clerks, and workmen, and they were all variously attired, in working, business or sports clothes. Registrations are stated to have totalled 220,018. Of these 3,775 registered as conscientious objectors, or 1.7 per cent.

There are approximately 300,000 men in the age group 20 to 21, and it is estimated that about 50,000 are already in the forces or have been exempted.

Mr. Ernest Brown, Minister of Labour, who toured a number of London exchanges during the day, subsequently declared that the response was entirely satisfactory, and that the proportion was just about what was expected for the full register.

He spoke to some of them, he added, and there was no doubt that the general attitude of the men was that the nation was calling them and they were answering willingly.

A very large proportion appeared to be looking forward to their training with some eagerness.

The proportion of conscientious objectors, Mr. Brown asserted, was very small, and the proportion of requests for service in the Air Force or Navy was not so large as he had expected. Boys seemed to be taking it for granted, he added, that they were going to do their military training in the Army.—Reuter.

Imperial Airways to Get New Planes

Ensign Air Liners Will be Delivered This Week

London, June 4.

The first of the Armstrong-Whitworth Ensign air liners, fitted with improved Tiger engines, will be delivered to Imperial Airways this week, and thereafter it is expected that the remaining 13 Ensigns will be delivered at the rate of one a week.

These aircraft, in which the controls have been made to work more easily, will have at their service an extra 220 horse power for the take-off. This represents an increase of nearly seven per cent. on the old rating of the Tiger engine, and should improve both the take-off run and the angle of climb.

It is proposed to try the American Wright Cyclone in the same aircraft. It is understood that an order for a substantial number of Cyclone engines will be placed soon by Imperial Airways.—Reuter.

Spanish Cabinet Under Reorganization

Hitler Role for Gen. Franco Predicted

Paris, June 4.

A broad reorganization of the Spanish Cabinet from which Generalissimo Francisco Franco would withdraw to assume a position of aloofness similar to Chancellor Adolf Hitler and Premier Benito Mussolini was reported imminent last night. Announcement of the Spanish Government reorganization may be made tomorrow, the reports said.

As yet there were no indications that Sr. Serand Suner, Home Minister, had persuaded Gen. Franco to give him leadership in the new Cabinet. Sr. Suner at present is in Italy with high Italian military leaders for a series of conferences.

Persistent rumours have stated that Gen. Franco will withdraw from the actual direction of Spanish affairs as soon as the Cabinet reorganization is completed.—United Press.

America Adhering to Naval Ratio

No Attempt to Outbuild Britain or Japan

Washington, June 4.

Despite additional orders for 100 planes and 24 new warships, including two 45,000-ton super-dreadnoughts, the United States is not attempting to outbuild Britain and Japan in the international naval armament race, Mr. Charles Edison, Under-Secretary of Navy, said last night.

Mr. Edison said that even with the huge American naval construction programme now under way, the United States has not yet reached the 5-5-3 parity agreed upon in the London Naval Conference. Mr. Edison said the naval construction programme was progressing satisfactorily.—United Press.

France Building New Battleship

Paris, June 4.

The French Government yesterday ordered work to begin on a fourth new 35,000-ton battleship as the French naval rearmament programme reached major proportions. The Minister of Navy, M. Cesar Campinchi, simultaneously disclosed that the three battleships already projected would be armed with 15-inch guns.—United Press.

U. S. Sub. Fleet Going to Pearl Harbour

Honolulu, June 3.

Naval officers today announced that a fleet of nine submarines, the submarine force flagship U.S.S. Richmond, and the tender Holland, will arrive at Pearl Harbour July 8 from the mainland. The fleet, according to present orders, will return to the mainland some time in August.—United Press.

"N.C.D.N." Photo.

Presentation to Mr. and Mrs. S. C. Young

At a ceremony held on the Cathedral lawn after yesterday morning's service, Mr. P. W. Massey presented a painting of the Cathedral's Chancel, to Mr. and Mrs. S. C. Young, who have been members of the congregation for over 20 years and who are leaving for England aboard the Ranchi tomorrow. Mr. and Mrs. Young are seen standing in the centre, whilst Mr. Massey, who made a short speech prior to making the presentation, is on the extreme right.

Attempt to Assassinate the Mayor of Jerusalem

Authorities Reinstitute Firm Measures to Check New Wave of Terrorism in Holy Land

Jerusalem, June 3.

TERRORISM flared again in the Holy Land today and the authorities were compelled to take severe measures of repression. Here in Jerusalem, four bombs luckily were found before they exploded, and possible serious loss of life was prevented in the nick of time. An attempt was also made to assassinate the Mayor of Jerusalem, known for his moderate tendencies. But fortunately it failed.

The authorities nevertheless immediately enforced a series of protective measures, ordering the closure of all cafes and stores for an undetermined period of time.

Jewish public opinion is now worried over the too dramatic turn of events, for resistance to the British Government's "objectionable" White Paper has become very strong under the pressure of an extremist minority.

The law-abiding Jewish community of Jerusalem today drafted a protest condemning the recent acts of violence by Jewish terrorists and appealing for calm and peace. Official Jewish quarters attributed the terroristic actions to "agents provocateurs," whom they disowned.

On the other hand, these officials' moderation is also criticised by many members of the Jewish community who advocate the formation of a "committee of public salvation."

Alleging that Britain was granting Jewish refugees in Palestine the same rights as the Arabs, first owners of land in the Holy Land, Iman Yehia of Yemen today drafted a special protest against the recent British White Paper.

He urged the British Government to maintain in all respects the "status quo" as it applied to the Jewish minority and to stop Jewish immigration into Palestine.

Meanwhile, leaders of moderate Arab groups made representations to the authorities today, severely condemning the acts of violence committed by Jewish extremists and demanding strict measures of repression.—Havas.

King and Queen Reach Saskatoon

People Reaffirm Loyalty To Empire

SPECIAL TO THE "N.C.D.N."

Saskatoon, June 4.

The King and Queen arrived at Saskatoon, a town of Saskatchewan, early this morning.

In a speech of welcome, Major Niederost referred to the freedom and liberty enjoyed under British rule. The many loyal subjects who had come to Saskatoon from other lands appreciated this so much, he declared, that they fought for it in the last war and would fight again if necessary.

According to despatches from Washington, the Chief Justice, Mr. C. E. Hughes, is suffering from duodenal ulcer and will be unable to participate in the ceremonies of welcome to the King and Queen.—Reuter.

Reception at Melville

Melville, Saskatchewan, June 4.

After making numerous, unscheduled stops at small stations, where Their Majesties were greeted by large crowds, the Royal train arrived here today from Saskatoon.

Melville's populatoin of 4,000 was swollen to 50,000, including Germans, Poles and Ukrainians, who, with other foreign residents in one of Canada's most mixed regions, joined the British and the Canadians in giving over-powering demonstrations of loyalty when Their Majesties mounted a flood-lit platform for the official reception.

When the time came for Their Majesties' departure, the handful of police available had the utmost difficulty in keeping the railway track clear of the cheering crowds.—Reuter.

Mr. Garner to Stand For Presidency

Candidate for Nomination Despite Plans

Washington, June 4.

Vice-President John N. Garner will be a candidate for the Democratic Presidential nomination in 1940 regardless of President Roosevelt's decision regarding a third term, authoritative sources disclosed last night.

Backers of Mr. Garner scornfully denied that President Roosevelt would break with the Vice-President on the nomination issue, but some informed quarters believed a bitter dispute was possible.

Mr. Garner's supporters appeared to be assuming the public attitude that President Roosevelt does not desire a third term in the White House.—United Press.

Firefly's Glow Assists Young Japanese Scientist to Find New Light

Luminosity Drawn From Insect Fed with Vitamins To Produce First "Bacteria Lamp"

Tokyo, June 4.

A "cold light" that gives off brilliant illumination with a minimum of heat, invented by a young bachelor of science connected with the botanical laboratory of Tokyo Imperial University, Mr. Hiroshi Nakamura, is causing a sensation in scientific circles here.

The extraction of a luminous element from the firefly and noctiluca has been successfully experimented with by Mr. Nakamura, it was claimed, leading to a belief that the discoveries may cause important changes in the manufacture of explosives.

Mr. Nakamura first experimented with luminous bacteria found in the firefly by adding vitamins and letting them propagate on the surface of a flask. An ash white light produced thereby suddenly increased its brilliancy many times, giving off five candle-light power for one litre of flask. But when the bacteria died the light went out.

Not discouraged by this failure, the young scientist continued his experiments and later discovered that the light came from a luminous element which he was able to segregate.

By a special process he is able to extract the component parts of this luminous element separately and has succeeded in putting them together to produce a light equal to the light of the bacteria.

Thus it is claimed that the secret of a cold light "bacteria lamp" has been solved after puzzling scientists for many years. Plans will be made to utilize the invention when a "cold light" laboratory is established in the near future.—Domei.

Sweden Withdraws Bill On Aaland Isles

Moscow's Objections To Fortification Heeded

Stockholm, June 4.

The Swedish Government has withdrawn its bill concerning the safeguarding and neutrality of the Aaland Islands, to the proposed fortification of which Moscow recently objected. The islands are strategically situated at the entrance to the Baltic Sea.

The Government has also withdrawn its bill proposing ratification of the naval treaty concluded in London on December 21, 1938, between Great Britain, Denmark, Finland, Norway and Sweden.

The withdrawal of the second bill was not unexpected in London, according to messages from the British capital. The argument apparently is that Herr Hitler's denunciation of the Anglo-German Naval Treaty renders the Anglo-Scandinavian treaty useless. Under the now defunct Anglo-German naval treaty, Germany agreed to build a fleet only 35 per cent. of the strength of the British Navy.—Reuter.

Terrorists Not Yet Handed Over

No Decision to Extradite Wanted Men: Negotiations To be Continued

London, June 4.

The question of the extradition of the alleged murderers of Mr. Cheng Shi-kang, Commissioner of Customs, from the British Concession in Tientsin to the local Japanese authorities is still the subject of exchanges between the British Government and British diplomats in China, Reuter learns in London today.

It is quite untrue to say that a decision has already been reached to hand over the wanted men, but it is anticipated that the British Consul-General in Tientsin, Mr. E. G. Jamieson, after contact with London, will resume discussions shortly with Japanese officials.

On the basis of reports that Mr. Jamieson had been instructed to comply with the recent Japanese request to surrender the assassins of Mr. Cheng Shi-kang, the Chinese Ambassador here, Mr. Quo Tai-chi, yesterday visited the Foreign Office and lodged a strong protest.

The Ambassador pointed out that compliance with the Japanese reques was tantamount to de facto recognition of the "Provisional Government."

Mr. Cheng was assassinated in a cinema in the British Concession on April 9, when a Swiss citizen, Mr. Charles Glauser, chief engineer of the Energie Electrique de Tientsin, was also killed by a stray shot. Another foreigner, who attempted to prevent the escape of the assailant, was seriously wounded. Mr. Cheng was shot from behind, four shots entering his body.—Reuter.

British Dug-out at Chungking

Air Raid Precautions Being Taken at Consulate

Chungking, June 4.

Work on the construction of a dug-out in the compound of the British Consulate-General here, at present being carried out, is making satisfactory progress. Precautions for the safety of the staff were taken since the Japanese bombing on May 4, when several bombs landed in the compound of the British Consulate General, killing and injuring several members of the Chinese staff.

Although Mr. H. I. Prideaux-Brune, officer in charge of the British Diplomatic Mission here, is having his offices at the Consulate-General, his staff is remaining on the south bank of the Yangtze River, opposite Chungking, due to a shortage of accommodation at the Consulate-General. The work of repairing the damage caused by the bombing is now being carried out and is not expected to be completed before two months.

The offices of the German Embassy and German Consulate have also been re-established in the "Consular district."—Reuter.

8,000 Japanese Youths For Manchoukuo

Work on Agricultural and Reclamation Projects

Tokyo, June 4.

More than 8,000 Japanese youths will be sent to Manchoukuo, Mongolia and North China to work on agricultural and land reclamation projects commencing at the end of this month, officials of the Ministry of Education announced.

Several groups of young men totalling 6,263 will be sent to Manchoukuo while 1,918 will go to North China and Mongolia. They will be chosen from among students of young men's schools, colleges and normal schools, and members of young men's associations.

They will engage in farming, cattle breeding, land reclamation, fertilizer making, civil engineering, building, navigation, transportation, and cultural work. Preparations are in charge of the Ministry of Education, prefectural governors and school principals. The sum of Y.380,000 has been appropriated.—Domei.

Russo-Polish Pact

Moscow, June 4.

The Soviet Union has ratified the Russo-Polish trade pact of February 19 and an agreement regarding the legal status of Soviet trade representation in Poland, the Government announced last night.—United Press.

Prospects Bright for Alliance With Russia

Moscow's New Formula Seeks Guarantees For Baltic States: Main Points Accepted

London, June 4.

THE Russian reply to the Anglo-French proposals for a triple military alliance, a summary of which has been received in London, is encouraging, says the diplomatic correspondent of the "Sunday Times." Prospects of an alliance being successfully concluded, he adds, are good. The correspondent understands that Russia's new formula for the Baltic guarantees is that the three Powers should pledge themselves to lend mutual assistance in the event of any threat, direct or indirect, to the independence of any of them.

The formula is said to be adapted from that used in the British guarantee to Poland, and implies a full guarantee of the Baltic States, without mentioning them by name, since Russia would consider a German invasion of any one of these countries an indirect threat to her independence.

Moscow could therefore, the "Sunday Times" correspondent continues, take action in this eventuality, assured full co-operation by her allies. It may prove, however, that the British and Russian views as to what constitutes an indirect threat to Russian independence do not coincide.

Russia would probably like to include within the scope of the formula, he adds, not only the direct invasion of a neighbouring State, but also the eventuality of a Baltic State coming under German control by means of pressure exerted from within.

The principle points of the alliance, as set forth in the Anglo-French proposals, the diplomatic correspondent of the "Sunday Times" concludes, were all accepted in the Russian note, including the exclusion of the Far East from the scope of the agreement.—Reuter.

Acceptance In Principle

Paris, June 3.

Although Soviet Russia suggested several amendments, her official reply to latest Anglo-French proposals in fact constituted an acceptance in principle, Havas learned today.

It would be easy to draft new plans to overcome Moscow's objections, political quarters declared. They pointed out that the U.S.S.R.'s chief objection was with regard to the Democracies' unwillingness to grant direct guarantees of assistance to the Baltic nations. Another dealt with mention of the League Covenant in the proposed agreement.

The latter difficulty could be dismissed, they said, for, in any case, neither Britain nor France wished to imply by references to the covenant that procedure provided in it would have to be applied. The Democracies simply wished to link the new system of security to the old, bringing it within the spirit of the League.

As for the guarantees problem: they admitted that this was more delicate and required more careful treatment. Finland, Latvia and Esthonia, to whom Russia wished to extend guarantees, wished to retain their full liberty of action and complete independence.

They declared that, in actuality, this aspect of the whole problem of tripartite parleys was secondary, for, strategically viewed, aggression against Russia based on the Baltics alone would be very little assured of any chances of success. Further negotiations should therefore iron out all remaining misunderstandings and obstacles in the way of a three-power pact, they concluded.—Havas.

Duke Inspects London Fire Brigade

20,000 Men and Women Are Reviewed in Hyde Park

London, June 3.

An immense crowd gathered this afternoon in Hyde Park to witness a review by the Duke of Kent of the London Fire Brigade and the London Auxiliary Fire Service.

On the review ground 20,000 men and women auxiliaries were inspected by the Duke, who, with the Duchess, drove round the ground in an open car.

After the inspection, there was a parade of 70 vehicles, showing representative types of all peace and wartime firefighting appliances, and this was followed by a display of fire drill, in which auxiliary as well as professional firemen took part. Tableaux were also displayed illustrating the auxiliary river service, cyclists, despatch cars, pumps of all kinds towed by private cars, taxicabs, auxiliary tenders and lorries.—Wireless through Reuter.

New Air Mail Route

SPECIAL TO THE "N.C.D.N."

Portland, Western Australia, June 4.

The flying boat Guba left at 5.30 p.m. today on the first stage of its flight across the Indian ocean to South Africa, with the object of exploring the possibilities of an alternative air mail route between Britain and Australia. The first stop will be made at Cocos Islands.—Reuter.

World News in Brief

Chungking, June 4.—Any person found guilty of smoking or selling opium in Chungking, as from July 1, will be arrested and severely punished, according to an official announcement by General Ho Kuo-kwan, new Mayor of Chungking. A time-limit of one month has been given to root out the opium evil here.—Reuter.

Washington, June 3.—Republican members of the House Ways and Means Committee today opened a fight to broaden the committees tax hearings to include evidence on excise taxes as well as corporation levies. Representative Allen T. Treadway, Republican of Massachusetts, asserted that the exclusion of arguments on excise taxes from the hearings is unfair to business.—United Press.

Rome, June 4.—A number of houses collapsed in the Rome district following floods which caused landslides. Fifteen houses were swept away on a length of one kilometre by such landslides. The number of homeless is increasing. The entire village of San Giacomo is under water, and its 400 inhabitants have been evacuated by sapper units.—Havas.

Anglo-French Army Parleys

Important Problems To Be Discussed During General Gamelin's Visit

Paris, June 4.

Franco-British parleys due to take place in London next week will be of especial importance in view of the new European commitments assumed by both the Democracies. The conversations, which will be held during the London visit to be paid between Tuesday and Friday by General Marie Gustave Gamelin, French Chief of Staff, will be carried on by experts.

These technicians will examine means of procedure whereby both France and Britain would be able to meet their obligations in case of a conflict. The problem of eventual Soviet support will most probably also be examined.

Turkish Participation

The Turkish military mission that left Istanbul last night to come here via Paris will also take part in the conversations. The mission is headed by General Kiazim, Inspector-General of the Turkish Army. Military quarters declared that Turkey's participation in these London parleys would be of the greatest importance.

Turkey, the Reich's ally in the World War, had reorganized her Army partially on the German model, they said. German military missions had never broken off contacts with Turkish officers. Only the Turkish air force was free of German influence, they declared.

Since Ankara reorientated its foreign policy, Turkish Army liaisons with the French and British Army became imperative. Great Britain accorded Ankara credits totalling £16,000,000 and these will be devoted to the purchase of British war materials. All military quarters here pointed out that the Turkish Army would play a most important role in the defence of the whole Near East.—Havas.

Sir Edmund Ironside's Appointment

London, June 3.

The appointment of Edmund Ironside, Governor of Gibraltar, to the new post of Inspector-General of British overseas forces was regarded here today as being of exceptional importance.

It was the sequel to the institution of compulsory military service and the conclusion of Anglo-Polish and Anglo-Turkish alliances, informed quarters stated.

Sir Edmund's task will be to organize continental expeditionary forces should circumstances call for them. His first job, for which he is especially fitted because of his service during the World War in Russia and the Near East, will be to form special units destined for service in case of conflict in Poland, Greece, Turkey and Rumania.

British military detachments ready to be sent overseas numbered 32 divisions before the institution of conscription. They will be increased by ten divisions at the least, and Britain will then have a minimum of 500,000 men to send to the Continent in case of war.

Sir Edmund Ironside will have to study the plans of the Imperial General Staff and will then have to contact the staffs of Britain's allies through personal visits.—Havas.

Events Mar America's Greatest Map

Washington's Post Office Mosaic Now Out-of-Date

Washington, D.C., June 4.

The Government has been embarassed by the number of people who have written to the Post Office Department to point out that the great floor map, executed in coloured stone and bronze, which lies at the main entrance to the Post Office has been rendered hopelessly obsolete by the conquests of the Rome-Berlin axis.

The map, completed a few years ago, shows Ethiopia as an independent state—not to mention Czechoslovakia, Austria and Albania. The various countries are accurately depicted in stone of various colours and the whole work is valued at about $20,000.

The Post Office does not want to go to the expense of ripping up the floor and making the necessary alterations. And, in any event, the authorities are disposed to wait awhile and see whether further conquests do not make the map still more in need of repairs. The tendency is to wait a few years and hope that the world will quiet down sufficiently to make the re-drawing of the whole floor-map worthwhile. Attendants in the building are daily pestored by visitors who point out the mistakes.—Reuter.

President Roosevelt Back At His Desk

Washington, June 3.

President Roosevelt today apparently had made a complete recovery from a sinus irritation which troubled him this week. Back at his desk in his study, Mr. Roosevelt worked on an accumulation of mail and government documents. He had no official callers scheduled for the day.

Among his other official acts was the signing of a bill authorizing fees for government employees who submit to blood transfusion for emergency operations at Veterans' Hospital.—United Press.

Nanking Road Shop Gutted by Fire

Fireman Injured By Falling Tile; Would-Be Thief Arrested at Scene

Tram traffic along Nanking Road was completely stopped and buses made Chekiang and Yu Ya Ching Roads their terminus when a fire broke out in the Chang Shung tailor shop, 782 Nanking Road at 10.50 a.m. yesterday.

On arriving at the scene of the fire, officers from Central station found that the flames had developed under the corrugated iron roof of the tailor establishment and had spread rapidly to two adjoining houses, a photographer's shop at 778 Nanking Road and a porcelain shop at No. 784.

The fire was tackled from three sides. Whilst hoses were laid into the tailor shop, another machine had taken up a position on Lloyd Road and a number of hoses were laid on through an alleyway on Nanking Road. During the fire-fighting operations, one of the Chinese firemen sustained a serious injury to his right wrist when a falling tile cut deeply into the flesh. An emergency ambulance was summoned and conveyed the victim to the Police Hospital.

Considerable Damage

The fire was under control at 11.16 a.m. although the various machines remained on the scene for another hour to dampen down the debris. The extent of the damage was believed to have been quite considerable, particularly in the tailor shop, where a large quantity of cloth was damaged by water, whilst the upper storey was severely gutted.

In the porcelain shop, little or no damage was caused on the ground floor with the exception of a few broken bowls, whilst only water damage was reported from the photographer's shop. To what extent the upper floors of these buildings were damaged however, could not be ascertained.

Arrest Made

Alert detectives also apprehended a youth in one of the alleyways behind the burning buildings as he was about to steal something from inside one of the houses. He will face the First Special District Court this morning, on a charge of attempted larceny.

When, in the course of fire-fighting operations, it became necessary to close off part of Nanking Road, all tram traffic was suspended whilst, buses instead of proceeding by another route, made Chekiang and Yu Ya Ching Roads their respective terminus for about 45 minutes, when fire fighting equipment which had been lying cross the street could be partially removed so as to enable the resumption of traffic by these public vehicles, whilst motor cars and rickshaws were deviated to back streets, running parallel with Nanking Road, the street being opened to regular traffic again at 12.15 p.m.

Japanese Claim Arrest Of Terrorists

"Ta Tao" Raid on Hide-Out Made May 15

Fifteen Chinese, said to be members of the Iron and Blood Corps for the Extermination of Traitors, an anti-Japanese organization, were arrested by the Japanese military police in Western Shanghai in a dawn raid on May 15, according to a report appearing in the "Tairiku Shimpo" yesterday. Amongst those claimed to have been arrested was said to be Kao Tang-yun, described as a section commander and Chen Kuo-sheng, an assistant commander.

These men, who were reportedly arrested in "Ta Tao" territory, were directly implicated by the Japanese military police, with the assassination off Connaught Road on February 1, of Keng Shou-pao, Chief of the Western Shanghai Detective Section of the "Ta Tao" regime, when two Chinese passersby were also killed, whilst another was wounded.

Five pistols and two hand-grenades of the Mills' type were also seized according to the same report.

THE CINEMA

"Illegal Traffic"

Lewis Zomar ..... J. Carrol Naish
Card Butler ..... Mary Carlisle
Bert Martin ..... Robert Preston
Marie ..... Judith Barrett
Jigger ..... Pierre Watkin
Steve ..... Larry Crabbe
Old Man Butler, ... George McKay
Silk Patterson, ... Richard Denning
Littmar ..... Philip Warren
Mathilde ..... Sheila Darcy
Mamie ..... Dolores Casey
Cagey Miller ..... Richard Stanley
Davis ..... John Hart
Windy ..... Regis Toomey
Dalton ..... William B. Davidson
Chief Daley ..... Joseph Crehan
Captain Moran ..... Monte Blue

"Illegal Traffic" which opened at the Metropol Theatre yesterday, is one of those films about racket-smashing with which Shanghai cinema-goers have been fed some months ago, when nearly every second Hollywood studio turned out some vehicle or other in connection with the battle which the famous G-men are waging in the United States. Whilst the present film, apart from not being of a very recent vintage, gives the so-called "inside doings" of a gang whose activity is confined to look after the transportation of criminals from the scenes of crime to safety across the border, there is nothing very new in it because the script-writers have stuck to the age-old custom in thrillers, to make the hero do super-human things in order to eventually be the victor, whilst in the present production, bad man No. 1, Mr. J. Carrol Naish, is rather irritating in over-emphasizing the foreign accent with which the script-writer has burdened him in an effort to lend more "colour" to the story. Bert Martin, as the G-man is convincing even though it is doubtful as to whether any real Federal man has ever gone through the same difficult experiences in such expert manner. Miss Mary Carlisle and Miss Judith Barrett, ably support.

"Safety In The Air," a 1937 short on prevention of accidents in commercial aviation, and "Foreign Product," a trailer on a number of Paramount productions, fill out the programme together with a fair news-reel. The trailer deserves mention inasmuch as far too long.—A.S.J.

More Jewish Refugees Arrive

Adding to the number of German and Austrian Jewish refugees at present residing in this city, another 465 arrived here yesterday afternoon aboard the Lloyd Triestino liner Conte Verde. Members of the committee looking after them here, supervised their disembarcation at the Shanghai and Hongkew Wharf from where the new arrivals were conveyed to the various camps. The majority of those having arrived yesterday, were accommodated in the Kinchow Road camp, whilst others were taken to Ward Road, Chaofung Road, Wayside Road and the Embankment building.

The total number of refugees at present residing here is estimated to have reached 10,500, an additional 9,000 being expected to make Shanghai their new home before the end of the year.

M. R. Courthial Leaves Shanghai Tomorrow

To Join Paris Office of Tramway Company

M. Robert Courthial, who resigned his position as General Manager of the Compagnie Francaise des Tramways on May 31, will leave Shanghai tomorrow aboard the M.M. liner Aramis, accompanied by Mme. Courthial, on their return journey to France, after having been popular members of Shanghai's French Community for the past ten years. After taking a well-earned rest, M. Courthial will be attached to the Paris office of the French Tramway company. M. J. Favret assumed the managership in Shanghai as from June 1.

With a brilliant naval career, M. Courthial in 1927 was appointed director of the Saigon arsenal, arriving in Shanghai two years later to join the Concession's tramway company of which firm he became the local general manager in 1931.

M. Courthial's departure will be greatly regretted both in French and International spheres as he was exceedingly popular together with Mme. Courthial, who is known to have been one of the most popular hostesses in this city.

FUNERALS

Mr. O. R. J. Koenig

In the presence of many mourners funeral services were held Saturday afternoon at the Lokawei Cemetery for the late Mr. Otto Reichert Julius Koenig, late Chinese Maritime Customs Service, with the Rev. E. Krueger of the German Lutheran Church officiating. Mr. Koenig died at his home on Route Vallon last Thursday at the age of 63 years, having been born at Memel June 9, 1876. He is survived by his wife, Mrs. Anna Koenig, and daughter, Miss Elma Koenig. A beautiful sheath of lilies from "Anna and Elma" was lowered into the grave with the coffin that was carried to the grave by Messrs. J. L. Lutz, J. Veith, N. Noelting, J. D. Jones. E. Fasel and Dr. Wilpert. Among those sending flowers were:—

Anna and Elma; Deutsches Generalkonsulat; Die Deutsche Gemeinde; Die Angestellten der "Bayer" Pharma Co.; Albert and Edna; Hildegard and Lilli Berg; Herr und Frau Fr. Engels-Fuetterer; J. Christoph und Frau; Mr. and Mrs. A. E. T. Hansen, Denmark; Mrs. Helen Huber; Mr. and Mrs. J. H. Hunter; Mr. and Mrs. Ino Ditchburn Jones; Ernst and Tata Koehler; Jch. A. Lutz; Kathleen MacKay; Georg Neugebauer; Mr. and Mrs. P. H. Noelting; Mrs. E. M. Noud; Wilhelm Weis; Herrn und Frau W. Berg; and others.

S. S. M. Walter John Selley

Military funeral services were conducted Saturday afternoon at the Hungjao Road Cemetery for the late Staff Sergeant Major Walter John Selley of the Royal Army Service Corps. Church of England services were conducted by the Rev. J. N. L. Bryan, chaplain of the British Forces at Shanghai. The coffin was draped with the Union Jack upon which rested the cap, sword and medals of deceased, and was borne to the grave by six fellow Warrant Officers. Three volleys were fired followed by the sounding of the Last Post. Guards of honour composed of members of the Royal Army Service Corps and other units were present. The chief mourner was Mrs. Selley, who together with her daughter Patricia, will later take up residence in Bermuda. A beautiful cluster of lilies from his wife was lowered into the grave with the casket. Among those sending floral tributes were:—

Ethel; Patricia; Mother and Hilda; Ruth and Harry; Gwyneth and Brenda; Lily and David; Major-General F. K. Simmons, M.V.O., O.B.E., M.C., and Staff, Headquarters, Shanghai Area; His Britannic Majesty's Military Attache in China; Officers of the Royal Army Service Corps, Shanghai; Junior N.C.O.'s., Royal Army Service Corps, Shanghai; All Ranks, Royal Army Service Corps, Shanghai; His Brother Warrant Officers, Staff Sergeants and Sergeants of the Garrison Sergeant's Mess, Shanghai; Assistant Director of Supplies and of R.A.S.C. Officers, China Command; W.O's., S/Sgts and Sergeants, R.A.S.C., Shanghai; Warrant Officers, N.C.O's. and Men, Royal Army Service Corps, Hongkong; All Ranks, 1 st. Bn The Seaforth Highlanders; All Ranks of the Royal Engineers; Officers, Warrant Officers and N.C.O's. Detachment, Royal Army Service Corps; The Warrant Officers and Sergeants of the 2nd. Bn., The East Surrey Regiment; The Members of the Sergeant's Mess, 1st. Bn. The Seaforth Highlanders; The Sergeants Mess, Royal Army Medical Corps; All Ranks, Area Details; D.A.P.M. and All Ranks, Corps Military Police; Corps Sergeants Mess, Shanghai Volunteer Corps; All British Military Families in Shanghai; The "Triple Darts" Club; Shanghai Defence Force Cricket Side; The President, Vice President and Members of the Shanghai Cricket Club; Union Jack Club; The Officers of the Shanghai Fire Brigade; Bakerite Company, Fed. Inc. U.S.A.; Major and Mrs. K. T. Andrews-Levinge; Mr. and Mrs. Blatchford and Noel; Mrs. H. L. Boaler; S.Q.M.S. and Mrs. D. Carver; Mr. and Mrs. Albert G. B. Carnell and Buddy; Captain and Mrs. J. R. Cole; Sergeant and Mrs. Cooper, Lieut. and Mrs. G. C. E. Crew; Sergeant and Mrs. Cuffe; Lieut. B. K. Favelle; R.S.M. D. J. Fleming; Sergeant and Mrs. French; Staff Sergeant and Mrs. F. Jones and the children, Mr. Thomas A. Lee; Sergeant S. Mesmer; The Misses Miles, Goldman and Minnie Scott; Mrs. J. Minty; Mr. and Mrs. J. Noble and family; Mr. and Mrs. O. Plowman; Donald Pratley; Captain J. Thompson, R.A.S.C.; Sergeant and Mrs. L. A. J. Sadler; Mrs. Starling and Miss Rough, the Hut Sunday School; Sergeant and Mrs. J. Stennett; Houseboy; and others.

Funeral arrangements were under the direction of the International Funeral Directors.

M. Knobel Guest at Farewell Dinner

Friends of Popular French Diplomat Are Hosts at Gay Function

On the occasion of their impending departure from Shanghai, M. Knobel, Counsellor of the French Embassy and Mme. Knobel, were the guests of honour at a dinner party given at the Cercle Sportif Francais on Saturday, their many friends acting as hosts.

The party as such, was one of the merriest in recent months and contrary to custom, no special seating arrangements had been made for the large number of diners, each one choosing his or her own seat. After an excellently served dinner had been suitably concluded with a toast in honour of M. and Mme. Knobel.

M. J. Barraud, in speaking on behalf of the couple's friends, regretted their impending departure but expressed the hope that, after a few years perhaps, M. Knobel would return to this city where he was so popular and where, by the accomplishments of various difficult tasks, he had gained the entire confidence not only of the French community but of Shanghai as a whole.

M. Baraud also stated that the Dramatic Group of the Alliance Francaise would lose one of its keenest members in M. Knobel, who had always displayed great interest in the propagation of French culture in Shanghai.

M. Knobel's Reply

In reply, M. Knobel visibly moved, thanked those who had come to bid him and Mme. Knobel farewell. He compared the career of a diplomat to the life of a gypsy and said that for the ninth time in his career, he was now forced to say good-by to a city which, although he had only made its acquaintance at the beginning of the 1937 hostilities, would ever remain a pleasant memory to Mme. Knobel and himself, of a city, where a torch of France was ever alight and where French enterprise and courage had made of the Concession what it was at the present time. He expressed optimism with regard to the future of Shanghai and in thanking Mme. Moresthe, who had taken charge of the arrangements for the beautiful affair, he asked those present to raise their glasses to the prosperity of the French Concession.

Later in the evening, most of those having taken part at the dinner, adjourned to the ballroom.

M. and Mme. Knobel and their little daughter are leaving for France in the near future.

Fourth Marines Church

The Fourth United States Marines held another excellent church service and concert programme in the Metropol Theatre yesterday morning. The worship service was conducted by Chaplain R. R. Marken of the Fourth Marines and in his sermon on "The Man Who Dared to be God" he delivered a vital message to all. Four fine musicians of the Marine Band, as a clarinet quartette, rendered for the special musical number of the service the sacred melody "This Is The Lord's Own Day" by Reeves. Band renditions in the service included the prelude "Break Thou The Bread Of Life" by Sherwin and for the offertory Parker's lovely "All My Heart Rejoices." Hymns sung by the congregation were led by Sergeant Sheehan.

Immediately following the church service, the Fourth Marines' Band, ably conducted by Bandmaster Levis E. Giffin, rendered an outstanding programme of concert selections, opening first with the famed overture "Schauspiel" by Bach. The band gave an exceptionally fine rendition of Lacome's beautiful suite "La Feria" in three parts, "Los Toros, La Reja and La Zarzuela." The programme concluded with the rendition of the Marines' Hymn and the American National Anthem.

It is now disclosed that the purchaser of a West End house in Hyde Park Place on May 9 for £10 is Catherine Lady Headley, the widow of the 5th Lord Headley, a Moslem peer. Apparently Lady Headley suddenly took a fancy to the house and authorized her agent to bid a certain sum. He made an initial bid of £10, and there were then no other bids. The house has 5 floors and contains 4 reception rooms, 11 bedrooms and 2 bathrooms. Lady Headley is uncertain for what purpose the house will be used.

More Japanese Find Employment

Jobs Now More Numerous Than Applicants

Unemployment conditions in the Japanese community are showing rapid improvement as a result of precautions taken by the authorities to curtail the influx of jobless "boomers" from Japan, according to Japanese newspapers.

In April, the number of unemployed far exceeded employers but this situation was reversed in May, when jobs were more numerous than persons seeking them, in a ratio of 100 to 40, the dailies said, quoting a statement by Mr. Yasuharu Ishizu, Director of the employment exchange bureau of the Japanese Residents' Corporation.

The Japanese population in Shanghai was 44,851 on June 1 and was said by the papers to be "making rapid strides toward the goal of 300,000 for Greater Shanghai." There are 16.992 households, 25,776 Japanese men and 19,075 Japanese women.

Dead Child Mystery Remains Unsolved

Body Being Sought by Bubbling Well

The body of the four-month old foreign boy, whose father is at present being detained at Bubbling Well police station pending completion of investigations into the cause of death of the child, has not yet been found by detectives from the same station who have been searching for it since Friday morning, when the case first came to their notice.

The infant, who, according to his father Valdemar Dorf, an unrecognized Dane, had not been given a name, reportedly died on the morning of May 27 in Dorf's rooms at 88 Nanyang Road. The father, according to his alleged statement, claims that he fed the child during the night but at about 6 a.m. the following day found that his son had died.

According to his statements to the police, Dorf had been separated from his Russian wife on April 23, and since then had engaged a foreign nurse to look after the baby during the day whilst he was at his office, being an accountant with a large foreign firm.

Waterfront at Ningpo Bombed

Japanese Start Drive Near Hangchow

Japanese naval aircraft on Saturday inflicted "serious damage" to Chinese military establishments and stores along the waterfront at Ningpo, when a 'powerful aviation unit" raided the east Chekiang port, the Japanese China Seas Fleet claimed in a communique issued here yesterday afternoon.

Hangchow, June 4.

Seeking to scatter about 6,000 troops of the 108th and 162nd Divisions in the mountains northwest of Wukang, northwest of Hangchow, several Japanese units captured Sihtzeshan and Wangtsinshan Saturday night, it was announced here today by Japanese military authorities.

An Army air squadron assisted in the drive. The retreating Chinese were said to have suffered heavy losses from artillery bombardments and bombings. Japanese losses were small.—Domei.

Mr. and Mrs. Young Honoured

Congregation of Cathedral Watches Presentation From Lawn

At the conclusion of yesterday morning's service at the Holy Trinity Cathedral, at which Dean Trivett officiated, a simple but very moving ceremony took place on the porch of the Cathedral, with the congregation standing around a table on which a farewell present from members of the Cathedral to Mr. and Mrs. S. C. Young was displayed.

Mr. P. W. Massey addressed those gathered around him and expressed regret over the fact that Sir Robert Calder Marshall, the Senior Trustee of the Cathedral, who is in Hongkong at present, was not able to perform this the pleasant duty of presenting a small token of esteem, the value of which was more artistic than pecuniary.

In referring to Mr. Young's career in Shanghai, Mr. Massey said that his 35 years of service here are a shining example and that it was all the more gratifying because his merits had been so well recognized. In gradually working his way up to the highest post in the police force, step by step, Mr. Young through his many other activities, had given an excellent example for others to follow, the speaker continued.

As a member of the vestry for over 20 years, Mr. Massey continued, Mr. Young had given a great deal of his time and energy to his work and has greatly helped by his well-balanced outlook.

In this, the speaker went on to say, Mr. Young was most ably assisted and inspired by Mrs. Young whose work in connection with the Girls' Friendly Society commended admiration. In conclusion, Mr. Massey wished Mr. and Mrs. Young many years pleasant and happy retirement.

The present consisted of a painting by Radik, of the Cathedral's Chancel, together with a book of signatures of those having contributed to it.

Mr. and Mrs. Young are leaving Shanghai for England on June 6, on the Ranchi.

Yesterday having also been the 90th anniversary of the Holy Trinity Cathedral, Dean Trivett read special prayers for the occasion immediately after the processional hymn.

Two Evening Fires Keep Brigade Busy

Three Injured in Avenue Edward VII Blaze

Three persons were injured, two seriously, in a fire which broke out at House 40, Lane 295, Avenue Edward VII, shortly after 6 p.m. yesterday. All available machines from Sinza station responded to the call and had it not been for the efficient and speedy work of the firemen the damage would have been far greater as the alleyway consists of narrow, old houses which are veritable death-traps and which, due to the present shortage of living quarters in the Settlement, are overcrowded.

House No. 40 was almost completely destroyed whilst three adjoining houses were also damaged. The three injured persons who had returned to the houses in an endeavour to save at least some of their meager belongings, sustained burn wounds and, whilst the two women were detained at the Paulun Hospital, a man was sent home after having been given first-aid treatment. The fire was reported under control in the short time of 28 minutes but firemen were still at the scene at 9 p.m.

Another fire, which was reported at 7.32 p.m., badly damaged Houses 9 and 11 in Lane 598 Chengtu Road, whilst two other buildings were slightly damaged. The blaze, which was attended by machines from Central station, was reported under control at 7.49. Fortunately no casualties occurred. Both outbreaks are now being investigated by Settlement police.

Four New O.S.K. Ships

Osaka, June 4.

Plans have been completed by the Osaka Shosen Kaisha for the construction by the Kawasaki Ship Building Company of four 8,000-ton passenger and cargo vessels to be placed on the Japan-Dairen run. The four ships are scheduled to be completed early in 1941. The O.S.K. followed the example of several other Japanese shipping lines which have been expanding their services to relieve the heavy traffic congestion between this country and the continent.—Domei.

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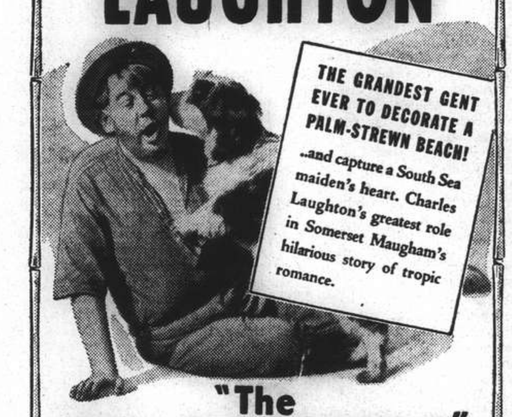
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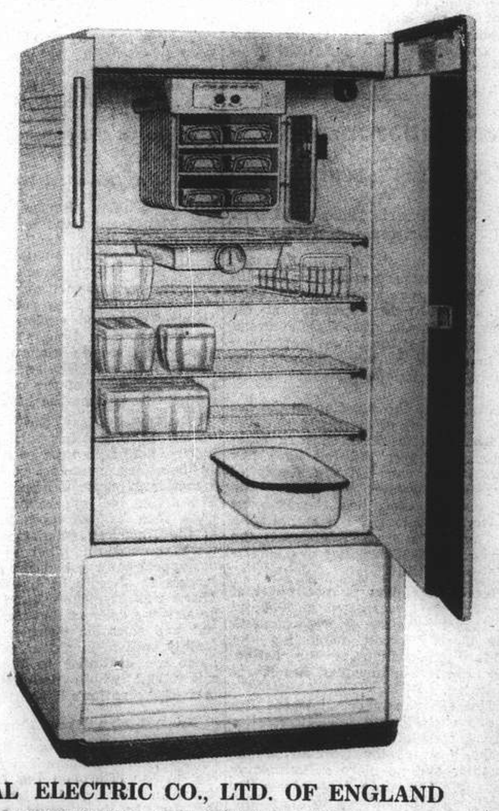
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Bank Bills,	6 months	1⅛%
Fine Trade Bills,	3 months	3¼%
Fine Trade Bills	6 months	3¾%
Call Money		0½%

New York closed.—Reuter.

Foreign Exchanges

Bombay, Rupee T. T. on: June 3.

Japan	78¾	London	1/5 55/64
New York	287	2 mths	
Shanghai	48¼	,, (sellers)	1/5 55/64
Hongkong	85¾	,, (buyers)	1/5 51/64

London £ Sterling T. T. on:

New York	468.37	Shanghai	8 5/16d N
Paris	176.71	Bombay	1/5 57/64
Berlin	11.67¼	Hongkong	1/2 13/16
Amsterdam	8.77½	Singapore	2/3 31/32
Brussels	27.50¾	Yokohama	1/2
Madrid	42.25	,, (buying)	Unq.
Milan	89.02	C'slovakia	136.50 S
Berne	20.72¾	S.—sellers.	

New York U.S.$ T. T. on:

Berlin	40.13	Japan	27.33
Spain	Unq.	Shanghai	16.10
Holland	53.37	Austria	Unq.
Paris	2.65 1/16	C'slovakia	Unq.
Brussels	17.03	Hungary	19.75
Italy	5.26¼	Rumania	0.72
S'zerland	22.60	Yugo Slavia	2.30
Sweden	24.13	Greece	0.35⅞
Norway	23.54	Bulgaria	1.20
Denmark	20.91	Finland	2.07
Montreal	99.855	Poland	18.83
Brazil	5.50		

London	4.68 7/16
,, Demand	4.68 7/16
,, Bankers' 60 days bills	4.67 31/32
,, Commercial 60 days bills	4.67 29/32
Buenos Aires Paper	29.06
Buenos Aires Paper, market rate	23.15
Montreal on London	4.69⅛

—Reuter.

German Dye Trust Will Declare 8% Dividend

Frankfurt-on-Main, June 3.

The Board of Directors of I. G. Farbenindustrie A. G., popularly known as the German Dye Trust, decided at a session held yesterday that at the general meeting of shareholders to be convened to meet here on June 23 the Board would recommend the declaration of a dividend of eight per cent., same as last year, out of the net profits of 55,180,000 Reichsmarks while the amount of 135,718,466 Reichsmarks should be written off the plant and capital assets.

As the net profit in the proceding year was returned at 54,853,329 Reichsmarks, no essential change has occurred as far as profits are concerned.—Trans-Ocean.

Bombay Cotton Market

Bombay, June 3.

The better technical situation of the Bombay cotton market during the past week resulted from a considerable amount of liquidation, together with the noticeable scarcity of contracts when liquidation had ceased.

Exporters were quiet, while demand from Lancashire and the Continent was inactive. The Far East was slightly more active following the week-end decline in the spot price.

Trading proved to be moderate, with covering by shippers constituting most of the business, as domestic mills were still buying for immediate requirements.

Rainfall so far has been negligible, but the weather map points to the probability of the approach of the monsoon, which is about normal.—Reuter.

U.S. Commodities

Saturday's Closing Quotations

New York, June 3.

Trading was early active in the cotton market on higher Bombay advices, trade buying and covering by shorts. Later, the market further advanced on the firmness of southern markets and the steadiness of spots. Closing conditions were very active and firm, with quotations ruling from 6 to 10 points above the previous closing levels.

Wheat futures in Chicago further eased on lower Winnipeg and Liverpool advices and reports of more rains in the dry areas. However, final changes were only fractional, showing loses ranging from ⅛ to ⅜ cent.

New York Cotton

July	9.03-03	+06	Jan.	7.95 N	+08
Oct.	8.25-25	+08	Mar.	7.89-89	+09
Dec.	8.02-02	+10	May	7.86-86	+10

Chicago Wheat			Chicago Corn		
July	77⅜-77½	—⅛	July	50¾-50¾	—¼
Sept.	77⅛-77	—⅜	Sept.	52¼-52¼	—¼
Dec.	78¼-78¼	—¼	Dec.	52½-52½	—½

Winnipeg Wheat

July	64-64	—½
Oct.	65-65	—½
Dec.	66⅛-66¼	—⅝

New Rubber, New York Sugar and New York Silk Markets remained closed.

B—Bid. A—Asked.—Reuter.

New York Market Irregular

New York, June 3.

Prices on the New York Stock Exchange fluctuated irregularly today in a featureless session from which many traders were absent for the weekend. Other traders were reluctant to carry their expanded positions over Sunday. Business news was mixed. Steel and motor leaders were firm and showed narrow gains. U. S. Rubber gained half a point. Rails closed around their previous close after fluctuating within a narrow margin. Most utilities recorded insignificant gains. Mercantiles, farms and coppers were generally firm. Oils and aviations were slightly softer.

Wall Street hears that General Motors will earn about 95 cents per share for the second quarter. Anagonga for the first half will show a net above the 46 cents earned last year. Continental Diamond Fibre will break about even for the first half. New York Airbrake operations are at the highest level of the year.

Favourable market factors today included:

1. American Telephone and Telegraph in May made station gains above expectations.
2. Major engineering and construction awards in May were the best for any month since 1930.
3. Department store sales continue above last year.
4. There are heavy cotton textile movements.

Among the unfavourable factors were these:

1. The Administration's reported opposition to revision of the Wagner Labour Act.
2. The Briggs manufacturing plant strike in Detroit is still deadlocked.
3. The snag in the international effort to stabilize the world wheat market.
4. Uncertainty over the conclusion of a Triple Alliance involving Britain, France and the Soviet Union.—United Press.

Bombay Silver Market

Bombay, June 3.

Stocks of Silver in Bombay on June 3, compared with the two previous weeks:

May 20	May 27	June 3	
1,200	1,000	1,500	Bars

N.B. The above figures include both English Bar and Indian Mint Silver.—Reuter.

NEW YORK STOCK EXCHANGE

Statistical Data Concerning Leading Stocks

By courtesy of Swan, Culbertson & Fritz

Name of Stock (No par value excep where indicated)	Dividends: Annual rate $	Dividends: Date of 1st quarterly payment	Book value	Earnings or Deficits: 5 yr Average 1926-30	1936	1937	1938	Yield on basis of price in %
Adams Express	0.20†	Irregular	13	—	0.50	0.62	0.16	3
Alleghany Ludlum Steel ..	—	—	21	—	2.13	2.10	—	nil
Allis Chalmers	1.37½	Irregular	32	—	2.27	4.42	1.44	4
American can .. 25	4	Feb. 15	61	6.29	5.80	6.08	4.35	4
Am. and Foreign Power ..	—	—	—	1.43	D 9.45	D 8.77	—	nil
Am. and For.P. $7 cum. Pref.	—	—	110	23.49	5.84	7.11	—	nil
Am. Locomotive . ..	—	—	12	4.20	D 1.71	4.75	D 4.90	nil
Am. Radiator	—	—	12	1.84	0.70	0.68	D 0.08	nil
Am. Rolling Mill	—	—	33	2.46	2.25	2.55	D 1.16	nil
American Smelting ..	2†	Feb. 28	52	7.27	6.85	6.54	3.24	5
Am. Tel. and Tel. .. 100	9	Jan. 15	128	1.30	9.89	9.76	8.32	6
Am. Tob. "B" .. 25	5	Mar. 1	27	6.00	3.71	5.04	4.89	6
Am. Waterworks	—	—	35	2.80	1.52	1.14	0.38	nil
Anaconda Copper .. 50	0.50†	Irregular	55	4.97	1.83	3.62	1.10	2
Atch., Top. & S. Fe 100	—	—	260	19.16	1.56	0.60	0.83	—
Auburn Automobiles ..	—	—	28	9.72	D 6.67	D15.00	D 1.73	nil
Baltimore and Ohio 100	—	—	126	11.36	0.85	D 1.20	D 6.04	nil
Barber Asphalt .. (10)	—	—	32	—	1.14	1.91	D 0.85	—
Barnsdall Oil .. 5	1	Feb. 1	8	—	1.01	9.85	1.26	7
Bethlehem Steel	—	—	119	7 06	2.09	7.63	D 0.70	—
Boeing Airplane .. 5	—	—	6	—	032	0.45	—	nil
Borg-Warner 5	0.50†	Irregular	16	—	3.57	3,63	D 0.01	2
Bklyn. Manh. Tran. ..	—	—	79	6.78	0.30	4.09	D 1.25	nil
Canadian Pacific Rly. 25	—	—	40	3.11	0.04	0.30	D 0.32	nil
Case, J. I. 100	5†	Irregular	134	14.53	12.36	13.98	8.89	6
Chase Nat. Bank .. 13.55	1.40	F.A. 1	31	4.04	2.24	2.03	—	4
Chesapeake & Ohio. 25	1.50†	Jan. 1	51	5.67	5.72	4.43	2.62	4
Chrysler 5	3†	Irregulor	28	4.69	14.25	11.66	4.32	4
Columbia Gas and Electric.	—	—	16	2.08	0.53	0.57	0.31	—
Commercial Credit 10	4.00	Mar. 31	29	—	6.08	7.10	4.60	9
Commonwealth & Southern	—	—	5	0.67	0.13	0.18	0.08	nil
Consolidated Edison ..	2	Mar. 15	52	4.50	2.33	2.17	2.09	6
Consolidated Oil	0.80	Feb. 15	18	—	1.18	1.48	—	11
Continental Oil	1	Jan. 30	17	0.64	1.78	2.97	1.00	4
Corn Products .. 25	3	Jan. 20	34	4.41	3.86	2.52	3.17	5
Distillers Corp. Seagrams..	2	Mar. 15	13	nil	2.42	3.95	3.75	11
Douglas Aircraft . ..	3	Irregular	12	1.50	1.74	1.90	3.76	4
Dupont de Nemours 10	4	Mar. 15	36	5.17	7.54	7.27	3.75	3
Eagle Picher Lead 10	—	Irregular	13	—	0.74	0.40	—	nil
Electric Bond & Share 5	—	—	27	2.15	0.17	0.42	0.18	nil
Elec. Bond & Share $6 Pref	6	Feb. 1	110	—	6.42	7.31	—	9
Flintkote	0.60	—	13	—	1.75	1.50	1.21	3
General Electric	0.85†	Jan. 25	11	1.81	1.52	2.21	0.96	2
General Motors 10	2†	Mar. 12	16	4.83	5.36	4.38	2.17	5
General Railway Signal ..	—	—	14	7.99	0.17	1.58	D 0.85	nil
Glidden	—	—	22	—	3.29	2.62	D 0.29	nil
Goodrich Rubber . ..	—	—	23	2.09	4.03	D 2.25	0.14	nil
Goodyear Tire and Rubber	0.25	Irregular	21	5.12	3.90	1.95	1.34	1
Great Northern Ry. Pfd.	—	—	157	9.47	3.99	4.04	1.09	nil
Greyhound	1.10†	Jan. 1	7	D0.16	1.50	1.59	1.43	6
Hecker Products.. ..	0.60	Feb. 1	13	3.58	0.71	0.89	0.53	5
Int. Nickel	2*	Mar. 30	12	0.85	2.40	3.31	2.09	4
Int. Tel. and Tel . ..	—	—	38	3.45	0.63	1.60	1.10	nil
Kennecott..	1.75*	Mar. 30	29	3.67	2.36	4.60	2.10	6
Loew's Inc.	3.00	Mar. 30	51	6.71	6.73	8.47	5.65	7
Montgomery Ward ..	1.25†	Apr. 15	28	2.51	3.63	3.41	3.50	2
Nat. City Bank N.Y. 12½	1	F. A. 1	25	4.12	2.10	2.00	—	4
Nat. Dairy Products ..	0.90†	Jan. 2	12	3.58	2.01	1.53	1.69	6
National Distillers ..	2	Feb. 1	18	—	3.81	3.86	3.85	8
Nat. Power and Ligh ..	0.60	Mar. 1	21	1.74	0.99	1.36	—	8
New York Central ..	—	—	142	12.63	1.79	0.99	D 3.13	nil
North American Co. 10	1.20	Jan. 2	22	4.47	1.74	1.95	1.55	6
Pacific Gas and Electric 25	2	Jan. 16	28	2.83	2.55	2.71	2.47	7
Pacific Lighting	3*	Feb. 15	9	2.70	3.88	4.10	4.18	6
Packard Motors	—	—	3	1.11	0.47	0.20	D 0.12	nil
Paramount Pictures 1	—	—	15	—	1.18	1.96	0.84	nil
Pennsylvania Railroad 50	0.50	—	89	7.01	2.94	2.07	0.84	3
Phillips Petroleum	2	Mar. 1	34	3.69	4.02	5.42	2.03	6
Public Service of N.J. ..	2.15†	Mar. 30	31	3.15	2.80	2.61	2.34	6
Pure Oil	—	—	21	1.77	1.63	2.15	0.38	nil
Radio Corp.	0.20	Irregular	nil	1.32	0.21	0.41	0.30	3
Reynolds Tobacco "B" ..	2.10†	Jan. 1	14	3.04	2.93	2.82	2.37	6
Schenley 5	—	—	26	—	7.05	5.04	2.46	nil
Sears Roebuck	3	Mar. 16	40	5.03	5.60	5.58	4.18	4
Socony Vacuum Corp. 15	0.50†	M. S 15	20	—	1.38	1.82	1.29	4
Southern Pacific .. 100	—	—	196	10.19	3.84	0.20	D 1.81	nil
Standard Brands	0.525	Jan. 2	4	1.53	1.11	0.73	0.62	9
Standard Gas & Electric .	—	—	50	6.59	D 0.99	D 0.86	D 2.23	nil
Standard Oil of N.J. 25	1.50*	J. D. 15	44	3.47	3.73	5.64	—	3
Texas Gulf Sulphur. ..	2	Mar. 15	16	5.21	2.56	3.02	1.81	7
Union Carbide & Carbon .	1.70†	Jan. 2	26	3.40	4.14	4.81	2.77	2
Union Pacific Railway 100	6	Jan. 2	198	17.53	8.20	6.15	6.62	6
United Aircraft .. 5	1.25†	Irregular	7	—	0.76	1.52	2.05	3
United Airlines .. 5	—	—	8	—	0.26	D 0.52	D 0.66	nil
United Corp.	—	—	7	0.55	0.19	0.22	0.07	nil
United Gas Improvement .	1	Mar. 23	11	1.29	1.09	1.09	0.99	8
U.S. Rubber. .. 10	—	—	13	nil	3.31	2.21	0.43	nil
U.S. Steel	—	—	140	12.90	2.91	8.01	D 379	nil
Vanadium	—	—	26	4.59	0.40	2.22	0.61	nil
Warner Bros. Pictures 5	—	—	15	1.84	0.75	1.48	0.41	nil
Westinghouse Elec... .50	2	Feb. 28	67	7.22	5.67	7.53	3.38	2

*Plus extras D Deficit E Est. †Dividends are for the latest four quarters

New York Stocks

Saturday's Closing Quotations

New York, June 3.

Fractional gains were recorded on the Stock Exchange today in a session of very slow trading. However, the undertone of the market remained steady throughout. Steels responded to expectations of a further uptrend of steel mill activity next week, whilst motors hardened on better than expetcd second quarter earnings of leading manufacturers. The volume of trading was very small, amounting to only 180,000 shares.—Reuter.

Dow-Jones Averages

	High	Low	Close	Changes
30 Indust.	137.41	136.82	137.12	+0.38
20 Rails	28.01	27.91	27.94	—0.06
15 Utilit.	23.55	23.48	23.52	+0.05
40 Bonds	—	—	89.62	+0.05
11 Commod.	—	—	Unq.	—

	June 2	3
Adams Express	7¾	7¾
Alleghany Ludlum Steel	17¾	17¾
Allied Stores	9	9
Allis Chalmers	35⅜	35⅝
Amerada Corp.	66¼	—
Amer. Can	93	94
Amer. & For. Power	2⅜	2½
,, ,, $7 pfd.	18¾	19⅛
Amer. Gas & Electric	34½	B 34¼
Amer. Locomotive	18	B 18⅛
Amer. Metal	30½	30½
Amer. Radiator	12½	12¼
Amer. Rolling Mill	14¼	14½
Amer. Smelting	41¾	41⅞
Amer. Sugar Refining	—	—
Amer. Tel. & Tel.	164½	164¼
Amer. Tobacco "B"	84½	85
Amer. Waterworks	9⅝	9¾
Anaconda Copper	24½	25
Atchison, T. & S. Fe	29½	29¼
Auburn	—	—
Baltimore & Ohio	5¼	5⅜
Barber Asphalt Corp.	13½	13⅞
Barnsdall Oil Co.	14⅜	14½
Benedix Aviation	23½	23½
Bethlehem Steel	57⅞	58⅛
Bliss (E.W.)	10¼	10¼
Boeing Airplane Co.	23¼	23
Borg Warner	23¾	24
Briggs Mfg. Co.	21¼	21⅜
Bklyn-Manhattan Trans.	11¼	11½
,, $6 cum. pfd.	—	—
Can. Pacific Rly.	4¾	4⅞
Case, J.I.	80	—
Celanese Corp.	18¼	18⅛
Chase Nat. Bank	B 33	B 33
Chesapeake & Ohio	33⅜	B 33
Chrysler	69¼	69⅞
Columbia Gas & Elec.	6¼	6⅛
,, 6% "A" pfd.	89⅜	89
Coml. Credit	46½	47
Comm. & Southern	1¼	1¼
,, $6 cum. pfd.	59½	59¼
Consolid. Edison	31⅛	31
Consolid. Oil	7½	7½
Continental Can	37⅜	B 37⅜
Continental Oil	24	24
Corn Products	62¼	62
Curtiss Wright	5⅜	5½
,, ,, "A"	26⅜	26½
Deere & Co.	20½	20⅝
Distillers Corp. Seagrams	18½	18¾
Douglas Aircraft	69⅞	69
Du Pont de Nemours	146¼	146¾
Eagle Picher Lead	9	B 9
Eaton Manufacturing Co.	22	B 22
Elec. Auto Lite	28½	28¾
Elec. Bond & Share	8⅛	8⅜
,, $5 pfd.	—	—
,, $6 pfd.	64¼	B 64¼
Elec. Pwr. & Lt. 7% pfd.	27	27⅛
Flintkote	20⅞	B 20⅞
Food Machinery Corp.	28	B 27½
Gen. Amer. Trans. Corp.	47	B 47
Gen. Electric	35⅝	35⅝
Gen. Motors	44	44⅛
Gen. Rly. Signal	17⅝	B 17¼
Glidden Co.	17⅜	—
Goodrich (B.F.)	17½	17½
,, $5 pfd.	70	—
Goodyear Tire & Rubber	27⅜	27¾
Great Nthrn. Iron Ore	15	15⅛
Great Nthrn. Rly., pfd.	22	21⅞
Great Western Sugar	—	26
Greyhound Corp.	18⅞	18¾
Hecker Products	12⅛	—
Homestake Min.	62½	63
Indus. Rayon	B 20	B 20
Int. Harvester	59¾	60
Int. Nickel	49⅜	49½
Int. Tel. & Tel.	B 7¼	7½
Johns Manville	75⅝	75
Jones & Laughlin 7%	B 44	B 44½
Kennecott	32⅝	32⅝
Libby-Owens-Ford Glass	47¼	47
Lockheed Aircraft	27½	28
Loew's Inc.	43⅞	44¼
Manhattan Shirt Co.	12	—
Martin, Glenn L. Co.	35	34⅞
McKesson & Rob. $3 pfd.	B 13¾	13¾
Monsanto Chemical	97½	97½
Montgomery Ward	50½	51
Nat. City Bank	B 25¼	B 25¼
Nat. Dairy Products	16⅛	16
Nat. Distillers	—	26⅛
Nat. Gypsum	11½	—
Nat. Lead	20¾	20¾
Nat. Power & Lt.	7⅞	7⅞
Nat. Steel Corp.	63½	64
Nat. Supply Co. of Penn.	8¾	8½
New York Central	15	15⅛
Niagara Hudson Power	6⅞	6⅞
North Amer. Aviation	15½	15⅞
North Amer. Co.	21¾	22
Northern Pacific	8⅞	9
Pacific Gas & Elec.	30⅛	30½
Pacific Lighting	B 47½	48½
Packard Motors	3½	3½
Paramount Pictures Inc.	9½	9⅝
Pennsylvania R.R.	18¼	18½
Phelps Dodge	33¼	33¼
Phillips Petroleum	35⅜	35½
Public Serv. of N.J.	36⅞	37
Pullman, Inc.	26⅝	26½
Pure Oil	7½	7½
Radio Corp. of Amer.	6⅜	6⅜
Republic Steel Co.	16⅜	16⅜
Reynolds Tobacco "B"	37⅞	37¾
Richfield Oil Corp.	8⅛	8⅛
Safeway Stores	42⅛	42⅜
Schenley	13¾	14
,, 5½% pfd.	—	71
Sears Roebuck	75⅜	75½
Seversky Aircraft	3⅝	3⅝
Shell Union Oil	12⅛	12¼
Socony-Vacuum	11⅞	12
Sthrn. Pacific	13½	13⅝
Sthrn.ly Rly. 5% pfd.	22⅛	—
Sperry Corp.	43	42¾
Stand. Brands	6⅛	6⅛
Stand. Gas & Elec.	3	3
Stand. Oil of Calif.	26¾	26⅜
Stand. Oil of N.J.	43¼	43¼
Stones & Webster	11⅛	11⅜
Swift International	27⅜	—
Technicolor	16½	B 16¼
Texas Corp.	39⅜	39½
Texas Gulf Sulphur	28½	28½
Transamerica	6	6
Tw. Century Fox Film	21⅝	21½
,, ,, pfd.	—	—
Un. Carbide & Carbon	75½	77
Un. Pacific	95*	94½
Un. Aircraft	37½	37¼
Un. Air Lines Trans.	10⅛	10½
Un. Corp.	2½	2½
,, $3 cum. pfd.	34½	—
Un. Gas Corp.	2	2
Un. Gas Improvement	12¾	12⅞
U.S. Rubber	41¼	41⅝
,, 8% n-c pfd.	109	110
U.S. Steel	48⅝	48⅞
Vanadium	20¾	20⅝
Warner Bros. Picts.	5	5⅛
Westinghouse Elec.	96½	96
Woodward Iron	B 17¼	17¼

BONDS

Amer. & For.	63	63
Brazil	17⅛	17¼
Baltimore & Ohio	21¼	21⅛
Cities Serv.	82	82
Erie R.R. 5s 1967	10½	B 10
Int. Tel. & Tel. 5s 1955	68½	69
Minas Geraes	11⅝	B 11½
New England Gas & Elec.	67⅞	B 67¼
Peru 6s 1961	10⅛	B 9⅞
Rio Grande do Sul	B 11⅛	B 11⅛
Sao Paulo	B 9½	B 9½
Sthrn. Pacific Co.	43½	43
Stand. Gas & Elec.	B 64⅝	65

B—Bid. * Ex dividend.

Dow-Jones Summary

By Courtsey of Swan, Culbertson & Fritz

Stock prices fluctuated irregularly today in a session of featureless trading, owing to the many absences from the floor for the weekend. Engineering news and reported construction awards have reached the best monthly levels since 1930, while Department Store sales last week exceeded those of the corresponding period of last year. Little change in the steel output is expected for next week, but there is a better enquiry for scrap.

Italo-Argentine Trade Accord Signed

Rome, June 3.

A new trade agreement between Italy and Argentina was signed here yesterday in the office of the Italian Foreign Minister, Count Galeazzo Ciano. Negotiations have been under way for several months for the conclusion of the trade pact. Details of the agreement have not been disclosed.—United Press.

British Commodities

Saturday's Closing Quotations

London, June 3.

Very quiet and featureless conditions prevailed in the British commodity markets today.

London Sugar (Buyers): Aug. 6/10 —½; Dec. 6/- —¼; Mar. 6/0½ —¼.
Liverpool Wheat: July 4/3¼ unc. Oct. 4/6⅛ —⅜; Dec. 4/7⅜ —¼.
London Rubber, Liverpool and London Metal closed.—Reuter.

Canada's Rubber and Tin Imports

Announcement by the Minister of Finance, Hon. Charles Dunning, in his budget speech in the Canadian Parliament, that a duty of 5 per cent. ad valorem would be imposed on all crude rubber and tin when imported into Canada under the intermediate or general tariff, will be of particular interest to the British Straits Settlements and the Island of Ceylon. Mr. Dunning stated that this action was being taking "having in mind that practically all the crude rubber and the primary forms of tin imported into Canada are of Empire origin and come now for the most part through Empire channels and Canadian ports."

Of the 57,576,293 pounds of crude rubber imported into Canada in 1938, the British Straits Settlements supplied 45,419,906 pounds and Ceylon shipped 3,246,819 pounds. The British Straits Settlements likewise supplied Canada with 33,784 cwts. of tin in blocks out of total imports under this classification amounting to 52,752 cwts. The United Kingdom shipped 17,300 cwts.

Canada rubber industry has been developed to a large extent out of the economical treatment of raw rubber imported from Empire countries in factories plentifully supplied with cheap hydro-electric power. This industry was capitalized at $65,119,212 in 1937 when production was valued at $74,263,753. The cost of material used was $31,126,755.

Brisk Demand For Cotton Goods

New York, June 2.

Prices for cotton gray goods advanced 1/8 cent today, following a broad buying movement, which got underway during the past seven days. Sales totalled over 85,000,000 yards, or about one-third of the reported mill stocks.

Threats of mill curtailment, the recent advocacy for the continuance of the cotton-loan by the Secretary of Agriculture, Mr. Henry A. Wallace, and the impending Government purchases of 40,000,000 yards of cloth all helped to revive the lagging demand.

With mill stocks dwindling and demand continuing to be brisk, further price increases would not be surprising.—Reuter.

Car Production in U.S., Canada

New York, June 2.

The production of cars and trucks in the United States and Canada for the week ended June 2, showed a large curtailment, according to figures released by Ward today.

This decline in production was principally due to the strike in the plants of Briggs Manufacturing Company and the observance of Memorial Day.

During the period under review, the output of cars and trucks was listed at 32,445 units, showing a decline of 35,295 units from the previous week, but an increase of 5,465 units over the corresponding period last year.—Reuter.

Holland to Float New State Loan

Amsterdam, June 2.

Flotation of a new state loan of 100,000,000 guilders is about to be announced, according to banking circles here. Of the total sum, it is stated, one-half will be taken up by a Swiss banking syndicate among whose participants will be the Schweizerische Kreditanstalt and the Schweizer Bank. Another 25,000,000 guilders will be placed in France, while the residual 25,000,000 guilders will be offered in the Netherlands for public subscription, lists opening on June 7. The new loan will bear interest at the rate of 3¼ per cent. and will be redeemable six years hence. The price of issue will be 97½.—Trans-Ocean.

Mentoukou Mines Output

Messrs. George McBain have received information from the Mentoukou Mines that the production of Coal for the month of May was 44.550 tons, and that Sales amounted to 28.180 tons.

New Jersey College Honours Mme. Chiang

Degree of Doctor of Law Is Conferred on Her

New Brunswick, June 3.

New Jersey College today conferred the honorary diploma of Doctor of Law on Madame Chiang. Kai-shek and, in the absence of the Chinese Generalissimo's wife, the diploma was forwarded to M. Chang Lok-chen, Counsellor to the Chinese Embassy in Washington.

A message of thanks for the degree conferred on her was received from Madame Chiang.

In her message, Madame Chiang emphasized China's determination to fight to the end, "if necessary, until our strength is exhausted, in an effort to keep the country intact for future generations."

She added, "We will fight without stop for the international principles of law and justice, which form the foundations of government for the people and without which no nation can keep itself free. The more the enemy attacks our defenceless people, the more we will be determined to continue our resistance."

In conclusion, Madame Chiang stressed that the Chinese people did not hate the Japanese, but she added, "After each new bombardment, we are more convinced than ever that the only way to escape slavery is to resist."—Havas.

London Money Market

London, June 3.

The payment of the War Loan dividend and calls on recent capital issues, involving large credit displacements, provided the week's chief feature in the London Money market. This resulted in an active turnover.

The Government's policy to keep money cheap was well in evidence, and borrowers found loans readily available.

Discount operators were again cheered by being allotted 73 per cent. of their applications for this week's Treasury tender, with last week's average rate of 21/32 per cent. maintained.—Reuter.

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Cinema War Starts

Polish Exhibitors Denounce Accord With Germany

Warsaw, June 3.

Polish cinema-owners decided today that they would denounce the Polish-German film accord since "Germany has not observed her pledged word."

These cinema-owners declared that the Reich had not carried out commitments incurred in the pact,—that there had been a great difference between the number of Polish films imported by Germany and the number of German films sent to Poland.

They pointed out that whereas Polish cinemas had shown 51 German pictures during the past month, German cinemas had shown only seven Polish films.—Havas.

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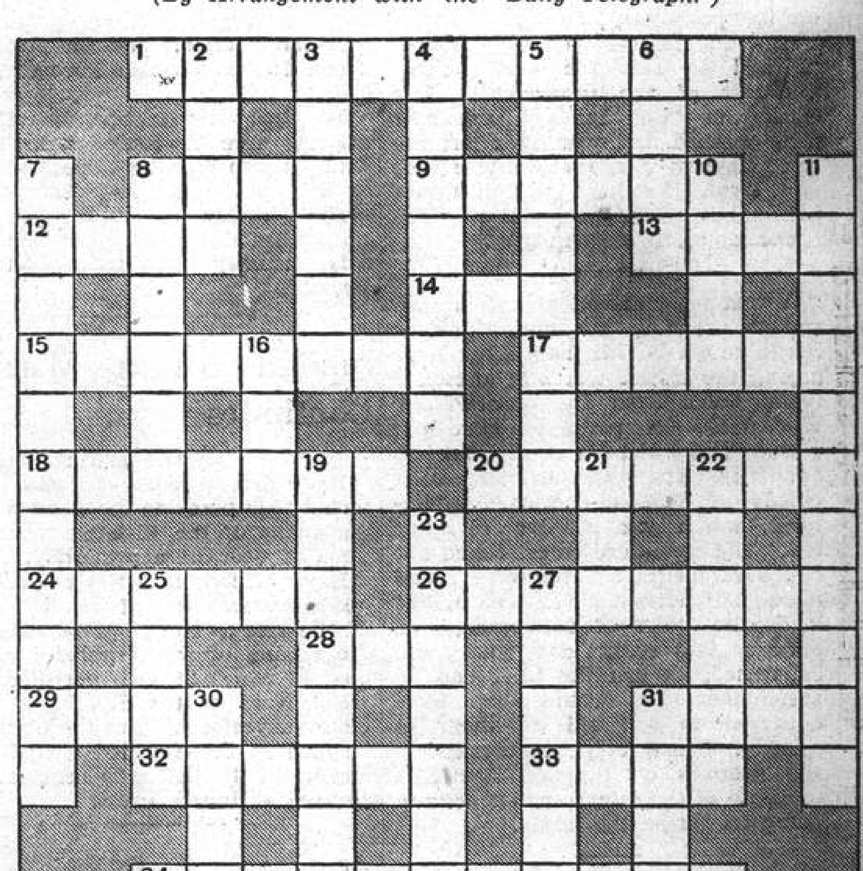

ACROSS

1 A great sailor tried to place woods here (two words)
8 It's no secret, but keep it under your hat
9 It isn't a low-down room—or is it?
12 This may be cast into a bath
13 This is never at the front
14 In its wake may be the lines of communication
15 Sleep-producing effect of chewing up a tiny chop
17 A great departure
18 More than a comedian uses is useful to a dress-maker
20 Part of a book on insects?
24 A strong argument against employing an Italian cook?
26 Some of the debris from the breakfast table, perhaps
28 A soldier's belongings
31 This hole may be found in Kent
32 One cannot stem the tale of years without hurt
33 A joint far across the sea
34 Rip in extenso (three words)

DOWN

2 This should come back to one in time
3 The German may spend the first part in all of it
4 A matter of this demands attention
5 Should this flower sound exciting to greyhounds?
6 This in her describes a kestrel
7 Part of London
8 Dish for snooker players?
10 Finish most of it, but look after all
11 Dejected
16 Unsettling advice
19 Boulders high musically that animals have a taste for (two words)
21 No contrast
22 A side tally often
23 A wager to fancy, and no place for an outsider
25 An offensive action
27 Salmon in the making
30 20 across is one
31 Put this to 6 down and find out the answer

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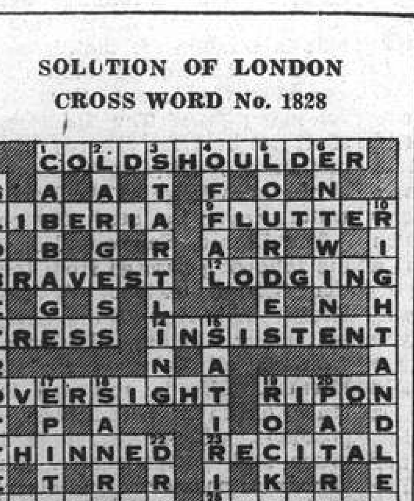

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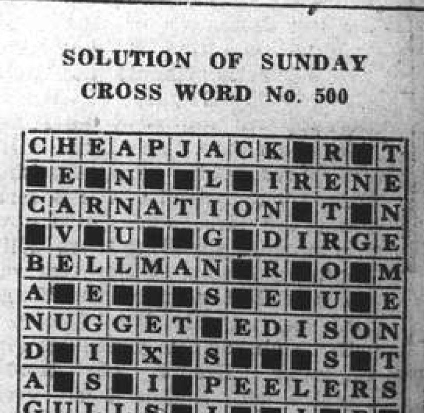


FROM DAY TO DAY

SHANGHAI firms and residents are reminded that entries and corrections for the Shanghai Directory (July edition of the China Hong List) close today. Corrections received after today cannot be guaranteed insertion.

CHIEF Justice Charles Evans Hughes of the United States Supreme Court is suffering from a duodenal ulcer and will be confined to his bed for some time, the Supreme Court clerk's office announced last night.

THE 8th annual Halutsim Ball under the auspices of Brit Trumpeldor was held last night at the Shanghai Race Club. In aid of the Trumpeldor summer camp, the function proved a most successful one, dancing interspersed with an interesting vocal and dancing programme, was kept up till the early hours of the morning.

M. HENRY Cosme, French Ambassador to China, is leaving Shanghai today aboard the cruiser Lamotte Piquet on his way to Chungking. He will travel on the flagship as far as Haiphong. A guard of honour composed of members of the French Police will line up on the French Bund at 11.45 a.m. to be inspected by the Ambassador prior to his departure.

THIS year's wheat crops in the Kiangsu, Chekiang and Anhwei areas, including the "guerilla areas," are said to be bountiful, says a report to the "Sin Wan Pao." Crops located in the North Kiangsu areas, however, have been ruined by recent floods, but crops lying to the south of the Yangtsze River are said to be better than those of last year. However, most of the local mills have a heavy stock of foreign wheat on hand, and are displaying little interest for native products, the report states.

FOR the information of the college boys who have been gulping 80 or so goldfish, it was estimated on Saturday the human stomach has a physiological limit of between 125 and 150 goldfish of gulping size. This was figured out by Prof. Sarah Atsatt, zoologist of the University of California at Los Angeles who makes no guarantee for the survival of any campus lad so rash as to try for the limit. Such a prodigious gulp, she said, would be about a pound of fish. This would contain about 1,000 calories.

A MYSTERIOUS thief, who must also be an expert climber, has broken into the recently opened Vallet refuge 14,000 ft. up Mont Blanc and taken all the provisions and Alpine materials usually kept there. Then he left the door wide open, and the wind and snow have almost wrecked the hut. This is the hut which was opened with great ceremony last when French Cabinet Ministers climbed up to it. Climbers rest there before starting on the final ascent of the 15,780 ft. mountain.

IT was announced on May 10 that the Air Ministry is to "recruit" pigeons all over Britain to carry messages for the R.A.F., etc. They will form with their owners a National Pigeon Service, and fanciers who enlist will be registered under National Service and wear a badge. A grant of £5 a year is to be paid to cover the use of ten birds at any one time, and a grant to cover the use of a telephone. The first work of a committee which has been formed will be the preparation of a register of members who will supervise the organization of pigeon lofts.

A MAN summoned at Brentford for permitting a car to be used without third party insurance said that when he heard his friend had got into trouble, he immediately paid the outstanding amount of five guineas on the premium. The man, Charles Henry Haynes, of Hounslow added; "I had to sell the car to pay the rest of the insurance." The Chairman: "So that you are now fully insured, but you have lost the car. Haynes: Yes, everything is nice and legal. We have the insurance policy, but no car to use it on. The summons was dismissed.

A WATCH, snuff-box and silver gilt spoons used by the first Duke of Marlborough on his campaigns were among the £2,000 worth of historical relics stolen from Blenheim Palace, Woodstock, Oxfordshire, where the present Duke and his family were in residence. The stolen articles consist chiefly of diamond-encrusted miniatures, and a gold snuffbox of Louis XV. The miniature cases, which are about 18 inches square, were found under the nearest cedar tree, which leads the Duke of Marlborough to believe that only one man was concerned, as had the thief had an accomplice, he would not have bothered to get rid of them so quickly. Scores of people strolled in the grounds on Sunday, April 16, unaware of the intense police activity going on inside the house.

PRINCE-Regent Paul and Princess Olga of Yugoslavia, accompanied by the Fuehrer, Field-Marshal Goering, Dr. Cincar-Markovitch, Yugoslav Foreign Minister, and German Foreign Minister von Ribbentrop, attended a gala performance of Richard Wagner's 'Die Meistersinger von Neurnberg" at the Prussian State Opera, in Berlin on Friday night. The guests included Cabinet members, the diplomatic corps, chiefs of the National Socialist Party and leaders of the German armed forces. During Friday afternoon the Yugoslav Foreign Minister had a lengthy conference with the Reich Foreign Minister, the outcome of which has not been revealed.

THE visit of the King and Queen to Canada and the departure of the Welsh Guards on foreign service have made considerable changes necessary in the ceremony of Trooping the Colour on the Horse Guards Parade on June 8. According to present arrangements the Duke of Gloucester, Colonel of the Scots Guards, will represent the King and take the salute. The Duke will lead the procession from Buckingham Palace, but instead of the Sovereign's Escort of Household Cavalry which accompanies the King there will be a Captain's Escort. Other features introduced last year by the King will also be missed. The Queen, who will be absent this year, was given a Captain's Escort of Household Cavalry with Standard last year. It is understood, that neither Gold Stick, who protects the Sovereign, nor Silver Stick will be on parade. The absence of the Welsh Guards will mean a reduction of the Colour Guards from eight to six.

New Air Fleet For British Navy

700 Modern Aeroplanes to Be Added: Many New Craft Being Built

London, June 3.

The British Navy will soon possess 700 of the speediest, most modern first-line planes built in Great Britain. Already the naval air fleet is up-to-date and includes powerful craft with the latest in the way of equipment. Most of these will be retained, but a number will be replaced by yet faster, more heavily-armed craft.

One of the most popular models today is a fast Blackburn bomber equipped with special brake-ailerons which permit it to slow down power dives at any moment. This increases the potential accuracy of bombing attacks, giving the pilots more time in which to sight his bombs and aerial torpedos. Another model is a Blackburn monoplane all-metal pursuit plant. This type is powered by a newly-patented Bristol - Perseus sleeve-valve engine.

Then there are also biplane Sea Gladiator fighting craft, special biplane Gloster Gladiator pursuits and biplane Swordfish models equipped mainly for attacks with aerial torpedos for missiles. The last-named will shortly be replaced with new models of Albatross craft.

The Air Ministry also revealed today details of a type of Vickers-Wellington bomber which will be built on the revolutionary geodesic aerial structure plan.

In full load, this bomber will have a range of 3,250 miles with an average speed of 260 miles p.h. when propelled by two nine cylinder air-cooled Bristol Pegasus engines. Two more models of the same plane will be equipped respectively with two twelve-cylinder liquid cooled Rolls Royce Merlin engines and with two sleeve-valve Hercules engines. Both these latter models being more powerful will have a greater range coupled with more speed. With five men on board and five machine guns, the Wellington plane can fly up to 26,000 ft.

The "geodesic" system of structure replacing the metal girders type of construction, is a sort of rigid metal netting which follows the curves of the wings and fuselage surface. It means ligher construction and more room inside the wings for fuel tanks and bombs.—Havas.

Accountant in Medicine Hong Held Up

A large party of steel-vested detectives from Chengtu Road station rushed to a waiting police van shortly after 10 p.m. yesterday, after the alarm had been sounded, when a telephone message was received, according to which armed robbers were on the premises of the Zung Zung Dong medicine shop at 197 Yates Road. When the party arrived on the scene a few minutes later with pistols drawn ready for action, they were told that one of the attendants had telephoned to the station about 2 minutes after two men, one of them armed with a pistol, had held up the accountant of the shop and had taken $234 from one of the drawers in the counter prior to decamping. Detectives are making the usual enquiries.

Spanish Republicans Seek Refuge

Nogales, Mex., June 4.

Efforts to obtain a haven in Mexico for Spanish Civil war refugees were being made here yesterday by Sr. Juan Negrin, former Spanish Republican Premier, and Sr. Julio Del Vayo, former Spanish Foreign Minister.

The two former Spanish officials arrived here to confer with President Lazaro Cardenas and intended to ask specifically that 300 refugees arriving in Mexico over the weekend be permitted to take up residence in this country permanently.—United Press.

Squalus Salvage Work Continues

Portsmouth, June 3.

Navy divers began the task of attaching air hoses to the flooded compartments of the ill-fated submarine Squalus near here yesterday.

Navy officials said the work begun yesterday was one of the last stages of the rescue work preparatory to the raising of the disabled undersea boat in which 26 men perished.

Survivors of the Squalus disaster believed yesterday that the occupants trapped in the disabled British submarine Thetis had a "good chance to survive."—United Press.

600-Mile Walk Started

Philadelphia, June 3.

Bernarr McFadden, the publisher, and 150 selected hikers started from City Hall Plaza today on the first leg of their 600-mile walk to the New York World's Fair. Their route will be by way of McFadden's Physical Culture Hotel at Danville, New York. —United Press.

Lesson Sermon

First Church of Christ, Scientist.

God the only cause and creator:—Is the subject of the Lesson Sermon read in all Churches of Christ Scientist, Throughout the world on Sunday, June 4. Golden Text:—Psalms 93:1. "The Lord reigneth, he is clothed with majesty; the Lord is clothed with strength, wherewith he hath girded himself: the world also is established, that it cannot be moved." Among the citations which comprise the Lesson Sermon is the following from The Bible:— "They shall not hurt nor destroy in all holy mountain; for the earth shall be full of the knowledge of the Lord, as the waters cover the sea." (Isaiah 11:9)

The Lesson Sermon also includes the following passage from the Christian Science textbook, "Science and Health with Key to the Scriptures," by Mary Baker Eddy:— "God fashions all things after His own likeness. Life is reflected in existence, Truth in truthfulness, God in goodness, which impart their own peace and permanence... Man and woman as coexistent and eternal with God forever reflect, in glorified quality, the infinite Father-Mother God."

Kulangsu Agreement Expected

Amoy, June 4.

A compromise agreement was expected to be reached tomorrow regarding the Japanese demands for a reorganization of the administrative policy of the Kulangsu Municipal Council, it was reported in official Japanese circles here today. A third meeting between Mr. Goro Uchida, Japanese Consul-General, and members of the Consular Body was postponed until tomorrow after having been scheduled for today.—Domei.

Disaster to Submarine Shocks Britain

(Continued from page 7)

Including 29 technicians, there were 102 men on board the submarine when she made her fatal dive, and of these only four escaped.

The limited time available between tides rendered impracticable the operation of cutting a hole in the stern of the vessel when it was showing above water. A movement, under the influence of a strong tide, which is believed ultimately to have caused the Thetis to turn over and disappear, added to the difficulties.

Attempts are continuing to get the submarine into a horizontal position with the aid of camels" (steel cylinders containing compressed air), with the ultimate object of beaching her.

Lloyds' agent in Liverpool, in a wireless message late last night from the salvage steamer Ranger, said that "the present position is that all life-saving operations have now been abandoned as hopeless. All efforts are being concentrated upon the salvage of the vessel. Subject to a continuance of the present suitable weather conditions, the prospects of success are favourable."

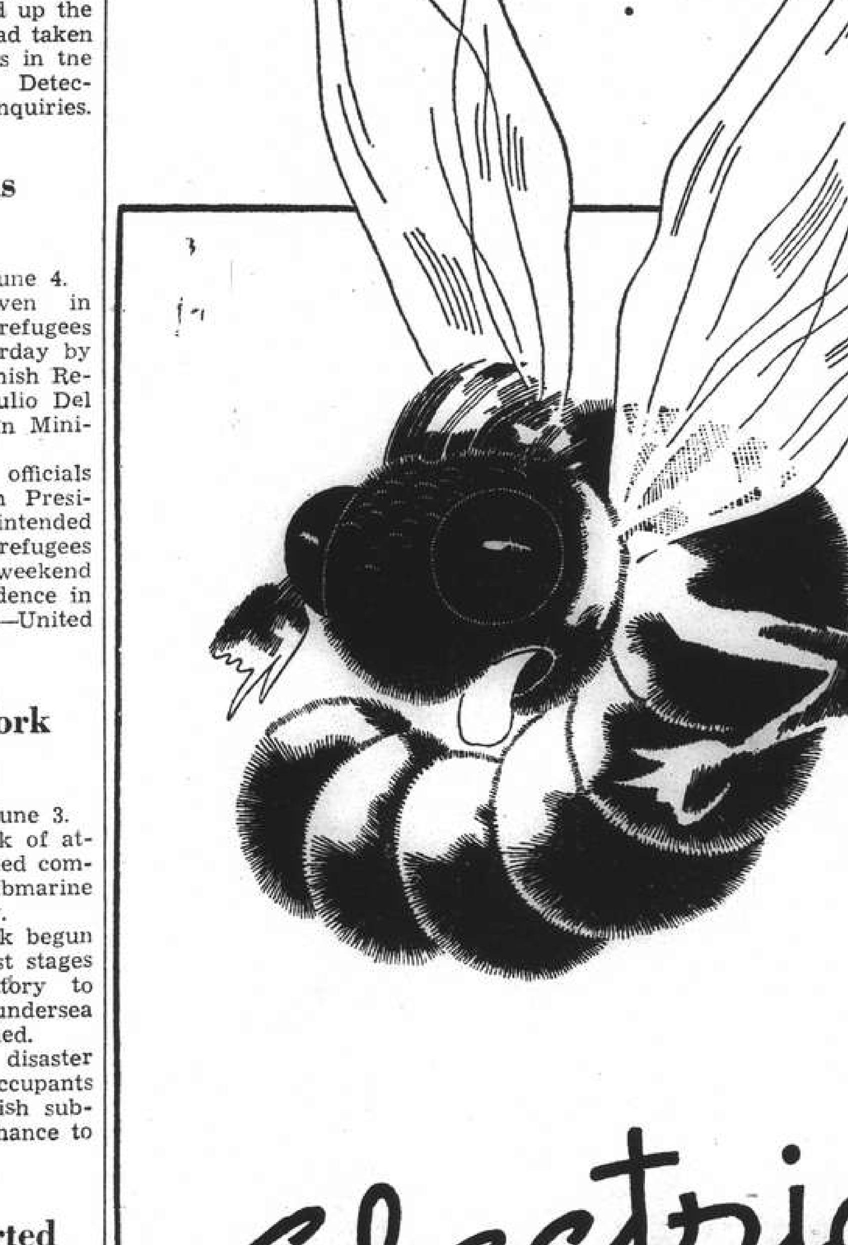
Death Roll Believed 99

The death roll in the Thetis disaster is now believed to be 99. A Cheshire man today stated that he had been informed by a representative of Vickers-Armstrong that his brother was in the submarine.

Officials of the Liverpool and Glasgow Salvage Company have announced that it would not be possible to raise the submarine before Tuesday. Attempts are now being made to get her into a horizontal position with the aid of "camels." They added that she will then be towed to the nearest shallow water, probably the Anglesey Coast, where she will be beached.—Reuter.

London, June 4.

The Admiralty announced today that salvage work on the Thetis is proceeding, but it will be some time before the submarine can be brought to the surface. An inquiry, the announcement adds, will be held as soon as practicable.—Reuter.



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Clipper Back After Return Flight

Two Commercial Round Trips Made Across Atlantic

Port Washington, June 3.

Completing the second return trans-Atlantic commercial flight in history, the Atlantic Clipper landed here at 9.42 a.m. today. The huge seaplane concluded its voyage to Southampton and back without the slightest mishap. It was its first commercial flight across the ocean.

The Yankee Clipper, sister Pan-American Airways craft, was to take off today for the third flight to Europe. But its departure was postponed because the automatic pilot controls were not functioning properly. Repairs were being carried out at Baltimore, however, and the plane was held probable to take off tomorrow.—Havas.

President to Dine with Business Magnates

Ill Health May Interfere With Engagement

Washington, June 2.

President Roosevelt planned to dine last night with representatives of some of the nation's largest industrial firms, the White House announced yesterday.

Mr. Stephen Early, White House secretary, said the dinner had been arranged by the Secretary of Commerce, Mr. Harry Hopkins.

He said President Roosevelt might not be able to attend the dinner personally because of his current sinus trouble, and slight cold. The President planned to confer with the industrialists in his study after dinner if his physicians did not permit him to appear at the dinner table. —United Press.

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The following times apply to the Head Post Office, Szechuen Road Bridge. Earlier posting at Sub-Offices is needed.

MONDAY, June 5.	Per		Reg.	Ord.
Japan Korea via Nagasaki	Nagasaki M.		*19.00	7.15
U.S.S.R. Europe via Siberia	Katie Moller		*19.00	7.30
Chinwangtao	Katie Moller		*19.00	7.30
Swatow and Hongkong	Hangsang		9.00	9.30
Kwangtung	Hangsang		9.00	9.30
Kiangpei Offices via Lindienkong	Tejo		16.30	17.00
Aust. N.Z. S.S. (Y) India Suez Europe via Suez	Aramis	A	18.00	20.00
Hongkong and Canton	Aramis		19.30	20.00
Wenchow	Elbhof		19.30	20.00
Foochow via Yungkia	Elbhof		19.30	20.00
TUESDAY, June 6.				
Formosa via Keelung	Tyosa M.		*20.00	7.30
Aust. N.Z. S.S. India Suez (Y) Europe (Y)	Ranchi	B	*20.00	8.00
Hongkong and Canton	Ranchi		7.30	8.00
Swatow and Hongkong	Nanning		9.00	9.30
Kwangtung	Nanning		9.00	9.30
Indo-China (Z) via H'phong	Soochow	C	—	—
Swatow H'kong Haiphong	Soochow		9.30	10.00
Amoy Tsinkiang F'chow	Newchwang		9.30	10.00
U.S.S.R. Europe via Siberia	Esang		9.00	10.30
Weihaiwei C'foo Tientsin	Esang		10.00	10.30
Ningpo	Tembien	X	11.30	12.00
Swatow H'kong Haiphong	Taisang		19.30	20.00
Kwangtung	Taisang		19.30	20.00

* The night before.
A Parcel mail for Indo-China, S.S., Ceylon, Africa, Egypt, E-Soudan, France & other countries, closes at 16.00 on 5th.
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C Parcel mail for Indo-China, closes at 16.00 on 5th.
X Provisional time—subject to alterations.
Y Superscribed correspondence.
Z Parcel mail only.

Air Mails

Imperial Airways Service per ss. Aramis, on June 5, at 7 p.m. for registered and at 8 p.m. for ordinary, due Marseilles June 14, London June 15.
Pan American Airways Service per ss. Agamemnon, on June 9, at 3 p.m. for registered and at 4 p.m. for ordinary, due San Francisco June 21.
Air France per ss. Conte Verde, on June 6, at 8 p.m. for registered and June 7, at 8 a.m. for ordinary, due Marseilles June 16, London June 17.
Neth. (K.L.M.) Air Mail Service (Bandoeng-Amsterdam) per steamer to Hongkong.
Royal Netherlands Indies' Airways K.N.I.L.M. (Saigon-Batavia-Sydney) per steamer to Hongkong.
Shanghai-Japan Air Mail Service: daily at 8 p.m.

Domestic Air Mail

Nanking per Shanghai-Nanking Air Line at 12.00, at Yuhang Road Sub-Office at 11.30 a.m.
Hwaining and Hankow per Shanghai-Hankow Air Line daily at 10.30 p.m.
Ningsia, Shensi, Szechwan, Yunnan, Kweichow, Hupeh (Shasi and west) and west to Hongkong for the Hongkong-Chungking plane.

Light Train Mail

Via N.S.R. 9.30 a.m. and 10.30 p.m.
Kiangpei Offices west and north of Jukao 9.30 a.m. and 10.30 p.m.
Hangchow 11.30 a.m. and 10.30 p.m.
North Pinghan and Lunghai (east of Chenghsien) 9.30 a.m. and 10.30 p.m.
Wuhu, Hwaining, Kiukiang and Hankow 9.30 a.m. and 10.30 p.m.

Ocean Mails for Europe and America.

Next steamer mails will be closed as follows:—
Aramis, via Suez, June 5, due London July 6.
Ranchi, via Suez, June 6, due London July 8.
P. Coolidge, via Pacific, June 7, due London July 5.

Weather, Time and Tide

Monday, June 5, 1939 (18th day of 4th moon)	SICCAWEI June 3 16.00	21.00	June 4 4.00	9.00
Barometer inches	29.68	29.74	29.83	29.88
at 32 F. (variation for 24 hrs.)	—0.02	—0.02	+0.09	+0.14
at 32 F. („ „ 12 hrs.)	—0.06	0.00	+0.15	+0.14
Wind (direction)	SW/S	VAR	N/W	E
„ (miles per hour)	14.3	5.0	6.2	3.7
Temperature (Fahr.)	81.7°	74.3°	67.5°	76.5°
Humidity %	52	70	91	45
Nebulosity (0 to 10)	10	10	3	2
Rainfall inches	—	—	—	—

Siccawei Abridged Report June 3	Mean 1939	24 hrs. variation	66 years average
Barometer (mean 4 obs.)	29.73	—0.02	29.78
Temp. Min. 64.°9 Max. 86.°5	75.°7	+1.°8	7.11
Total rainfall January to 1 midnight before last (inches)	13.67	—	15.33

Time and Tide	5/6	6/6	7/6	8/6	9/6
Sun rises at Shanghai	4.50	4.50	4.50	4.50	4.50
Sun sets at Shanghai	18.55	18.55	18.56	18.56	18.56
Moon rises at Shanghai	21.20	21.59	22.35	23.09	23.41
Moon sets at Shanghai	7.27	8.20	9.14	10.07	10.59
Flood makes Shai. 6 to 18	11.45	12.38	13.15	14.00	15.00
Ebb. makes Shai. 6 to 18	17.00	17.35	6.02	6.50	7.40
H.W. W'sung Bar 6 to 18	13.46	14.19	14.58	15.54	16.47
Ht. above LLW. (feet)	11.45	11.15	10.48	9.80	9.20

Vessels Discharging

BEHAR. The P. & O. S. N. Co.'s steamer Behar, from London and Ports. —This steamer is discharging Cargo at the Hongkew Wharf. Consignees are requested to send in their Bills of Lading for countersignature, and take immediate delivery of their Cargo. Consignees of "Bulk Cargo" will further be required to send their Representatives to the Wharf to verify the weights of such Cargo whilst it is being landed. Examination of ship-damaged cargo will be held at the Hongkew Wharf on Thursday, June 8, at 9 a.m., by Messrs. Faulsen & Bayes-Davy. All Claims against this steamer must be sent in within fifteen days from date of Steamer's arrival, or they will not be recognized. All risks of Fire etc. at the Wharf and Godowns to be borne by the Consignees of the Cargo. Pro. Mackinnon, Mackenzie & Co., Agents. 5-6

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Vessels Arriving To-day

The following particulars in connection with vessels due to arrive to-day are based upon information available yesterday evening.

From ANTWERP: Neckar, due noon, Shanghai & Hongkew Wharf. Passengers and baggage by road to Customs Jetty.
Coburg, due noon, Shanghai & Hongkew Wharf. Passengers and baggage by road to Customs Jetty.

From SOERABAIA: Tjinegara, with mail, due 8 a.m., Holt's Wharf. Passengers expected at Customs Jetty 8.30 a.m.

From DAIREN: Hoten Maru, with mail, due 2-3 p.m., Wangpoo Wharf.

From TIENTSIN: Hunan, due a.m. French Bund. Nanning, due a.m., B. & S. Pootung Wharf. Kwaisang, due a.m., Roosevelt Terminal. Taisang, due p.m., Roosevelt Terminal.

From HONGKONG: Tsinan, due p.m., French Bund.

Due at Future Dates

All vessels are listed under their terminal port. The first date is that of the ship's departure from that port, and the second is the date she is due to arrive in Shanghai Where a ship's name is duplicated it indicates the port of call last visited.

EUROPE AND STRAITS

From GDYNIA		
Teucer	2/5	26/6
Perseus	30/5	21/7
Menelaus	30/5	21/7
From COPENHAGEN		
Africa	1/4	13/6
Panama	1/5	11/7
India	3/6	28/7
From OSLO		
Triton	13/4	15/6
Tarn	20/5	16/6
Peiping	27/4	17/6
Ningpo	27/5	17/7
From HAMBURG		
Tarn	1/6	16/6
Oder	13/5	27/6
Burgenland	3/6	19/7
Menelaus	3/6	21/7
From BREMEN		
Preussen	18/4	9/6
Leverkusen	2/5	24/6
Rheinland	16/5	3/7
Burgenland	30/5	19/7
From ROTTERDAM		
Fulda	19/5	8/7
Grootekerk	1/6	15/7
Ningpo	6/5	17/7
From ANTWERP		
Zuiderkerk	17/4	10/6
Glengarry	15/4	11/6
Glenearn	29/4	24/6
Glenogle	13/5	9/7
Grootekerk	22/5	15/7
Denbighshire	27/5	22/7
From GLASGOW		
Deucalion	22/4	10/6
Patroclus	6/5	22/6
Memnon	20/5	6/7
Antenor	3/6	20/7
From LIVERPOOL		
Lycaon	22/4	8/6
Eumaeus	20/5	5/7
Memnon	27/5	6/7
From LONDON		
Rawalpindi	5/5	11/6
Soudan	29/4	11/6
Calchas	6/5	16/6
Kasima M.	12/5	20/6
Chitral	19/5	25/6
Hakone M.	26/5	3/7

From LONDON		
Glenogle	27/5	9/7
Corfu	2/6	9/7
Burdwan	27/5	10/7
Cyclops	3/6	17/7
From MARSEILLES		
Athos II	12/5	9/6
Chenonceaux	26/5	27/6
Hakone M.	2/6	3/7
From GENOA		
C. B'camano	31/5	27/6
From TRIESTE		
Volpi	30/4	15/6
Cortellazzo	25/5	12/7
From PORT SAID		
Oder	31/5	27/6
C. B'camano	4/6	27/6
Rheinland	5/6	3/7
Panama	30/5	11/7
From SUEZ		
Glennearn	25/5	24/6
Teucer	23/5	26/6
From ADEN		
Chitral	4/6	25/6
From COLOMBO		
Volpi	26/5	15/6
Kasima M.	3/6	20/6
Patroclus	4/6	22/6
Leverkusen	5/6	24/6
From SINGAPORE		
Alipore	29/5	8/6
Glengarry	2/6	11/6
Rawalpindi	2/6	11/6
Soudan	2/6	11/6
Triton	1/6	15/6
Peiping	3/6	17/6
From SOERABAIA		
Tjibadak	29/5	15/6
From BATAVIA		
Tjibadak	2/6	15/6
From MANILA		
P. Coolidge	31/5	6/6
Deucalion	3/6	10/6
Africa	1/6	13/6
From SAIGON		
Athos II	2/6	9/6
From HONGKONG		
See "China Ports" below.		

AMERICA AND JAPAN

From NEW YORK		
Silveryew	24/4	9/6
G. Maersk	25/4	10/6
C. of Derby	18/4	13/6
Tai Yin	30/4	14/6
Grete Maersk	10/5	24/6
Slesvig	28/5	26/6
Eskbank	6/5	4/7
Silverwalnut	23/5	7/7
H. Maersk	25/5	10/7
Glaucus	26/5	18/7
From PANAMA		
H. Maersk	5/6	10/7
From SAVANNAH		
Silverwalnut	26/5	7/7
Glaucus	31/5	18/7
From LOS ANGELES		
Asama M.	12/5	7/6
G. Maersk	17/5	12/6
Tai Yin	17/5	14/6
Tatuta M.	29/5	24/6
Grete Maersk	31/5	24/6

From SAN FRANCISCO		
Tatuta M.	1/6	24/6
From VANCOUVER		
Emp. Russia	27/5	12/6
Ixion	4/6	29/6
From HONGKONG		
See "China Ports" below.		
From YOKOHAMA		
Agememnon	2/6	7/6
Serooskerk	24/5	10/6
Harona M.	4/6	12/6
From KOBE		
Aramis	3/6	6/6
Asama M.	5/6	7/6
Serooskerk	8/6	10/6
From NAGASAKI		
Shanghai M.	5/6	6/6
From KEELUNG (Formosa)		
Hukuken M.	5/6	7/6

AFRICA AND AUSTRALIA

From CAPETOWN		
Boissevain	17/5	24/6
From MOMBASA		
Boissevain	4/6	24/6
From MELBOURNE		
Nankin	3/5	8/6
Nellore	3/6	10/7

CHINA PORTS

From DAIREN		
Tsingtao M.	6/6	8/6
Duisburg	30/5	9/6
From TIENTSIN		
Kanchow	1/6	6/6
Fausang	3/6	7/6
From HONGKONG		
P. Coolidge	3/6	6/6

From HONGKONG		
Sinkiang	2/6	6/6
Taiseunhong	27/5	6/6
Taksang	4/6	8/6
Lycaon	3/6	8/6
Pronto	4/6	8/6
Nankin	2/6	8/6
Preussen	3/6	9/6
Zuiderkerk	5/6	9/6

Vessels Leaving

NORTH CHINA COAST

ESANG June 6. WEIHAIWEI, CHEFOO and TIENTSIN.—Sails from Roosevelt Terminal Buoys on Tuesday, June 6, at 1 p.m. "A" and "B" Saloon Accommodation. Tender from Customs Jetty noon Tuesday. For freight and passage apply Jardine, Matheson & Co., Ltd. Tel. 15290. 6-6

HUNAN June 7. WEIHAIWEI, CHEFOO and TIENTSIN.—From French Bund on Wednesday, June 7, at 1 p.m. For freight and passage apply to Butterfield & Swire, Tel. 82020 (French Bund). 7-6

COBURG June 8. TSINGTAO.—For freight and passage apply to Melchers & Co., general agents, 210-214 Kiukiang Road. Tel. 15566. 8-6

TAISEUNHONG June 8. TSINGTAO, CHEFOO and TIENTSIN.—Sails from Roosevelt Terminal Wharf on Thursday, June 8. For freight apply Jardine, Matheson & Co., Ltd. Tel. 15290. 8-6

TAKSANG June 10. WEIHAIWEI, CHEFOO and TIENTSIN.—Sails from Roosevelt Terminal Wharf on Saturday, June 10, at 8 a.m. "A" and "B" Saloon Accommodation. For freight and passage apply Jardine, Matheson & Co., Ltd. Tel. 15290. 9-6

Vessels Leaving

NORTH CHINA COAST

TINGSANG June 13. TSINGTAO, CHEFOO and TIENTSIN.—Sails from Roosevelt Terminal Wharf on Tuesday, June 13. "A" and "B" Saloon Accommodation. For freight and passage apply Jardine, Matheson & Co., Ltd. Tel. 15290. 13-6

SOUTH CHINA COAST

HANGSANG June 5. SWATOW and HONGKONG.—Sails from Roosevelt Terminal Wharf on Monday, June 5, at noon. For freight apply Jardine, Matheson & Co., Ltd. Tel. 15290. 5-6

NANNING June 6. SWATOW and HONGKONG.—Leaves on Tuesday, June 6, at noon. For freight and passage apply to Butterfield & Swire, Tel. 82020 (French Bund). 6-6

SOOCHOW June 6. SWATOW, HONGKONG, KWONGCHOWWAN, PAKHOI and HAIPHONG.—From French Bund on Tuesday, June 6, at 12.30 p.m. For freight and passage apply to Butterfield & Swire, Tel. 82020 (French Bund). 6-6

KANCHOW June 7. SWATOW and HONGKONG.—From French Bund on Wednesday, June 7, at 1 p.m. For freight apply to Butterfield & Swire, Tel. 82020 (French Bund). 7-6

KWAISANG June 7. SWATOW and HONGKONG.—Sails from Roosevelt Terminal Wharf on Wednesday, June 7, at 1.30 p.m. For freight and passage apply Jardine, Matheson & Co., Ltd. Tel. 15290. 7-6

TAISANG June 7. SWATOW, HONGKONG and HAIPHONG.—Sails from Roosevelt Terminal Wharf on Wednesday, June 7, at 5.30 a.m. "A" and "B" Saloon Accommodation. For freight and passage apply Jardine, Matheson & Co., Ltd. Tel. 15290. 6-6

TSINAN June 7. AMOY and HONGKONG.—From French Bund on Wednesday, June 7, at 1 p.m. For freight and passage apply to Butterfield & Swire, Tel. 82020 (French Bund). 7-6

TJINEGARA June 8. AMOY, HONGKONG, MANILA, CEBU, MENADO, MACASSAR, BALI, SOERABAIA and JAVA N.C.—The J.C.J.L. ms. Tjinegara sails from Holt's Wharf, Pootung on Thursday, June 8, taking cargo to Java and transhipment in Java. Excellent passenger accommodation. Through tickets issued to European, Australian and African Ports. For particulars apply to the Java-China-Japan Lijn Agentschap Shanghai N.V., Brunner Mond Building, 133 Szechuen Road. Tel. Nos. 16247 (4 Lines). 7-6

MINGSANG June 14. SWATOW, HONGKONG and HAIPHONG.—Sails from Roosevelt Terminal Wharf on Wednesday, June 14. "A" and "B" Saloon Accommodation. For freight and passage apply Jardine, Matheson & Co., Ltd. Tel. 15290. 14-6

JAPAN

NECKAR June 6. YOKOHAMA, KOBE, TAKU, CHEFOO and DAIREN.—For freight and passage apply to Melchers & Co., general agents, 210-214 Kiukiang Road. Tel. 15566. 6-6

NANKIN June 9. (From Shanghai) MOJI, KOBE, OSAKA and YOKOHAMA.—Mackinnon, Mackenzie & Co., Agents, E. & A. S. S. Co., Ltd. No. 27 The Bund. Tel. No. 11428. 9-6

STRAITS AND EUROPE

ASIA June 5. (loading on June 4.) PORT SAID, ANTWERP, ROTTERDAM, HAMBURG and COPENHAGEN via HONGKONG, MANILA, SAIGON and SINGAPORE.—The East Asiatic Co.'s Motorship Asia, Captain F. Andersen, will be despatched from here on or about June 5, for the abovementioned ports. Cargo accepted on through Bills of Lading to all Continental, Baltic and Scandinavian ports. Option Bills of Lading issued to U. K. Ports. For freight and passage apply to Agency of The East Asiatic Co., Ltd., 17 Canton Road. Tel. 15055. 5-6

ARAMIS June 6. MARSEILLES via HONGKONG SAIGON, SINGAPORE, COLOMBO, DJIBOUTI, SUEZ and PORT SAID.—Messageries Maritimes & French Bund. Tel. 82034. 6-6

RANCHI June 6. MARSEILLES, CASABLANCA, GIBRALTAR and LONDON via HONGKONG, SINGAPORE, PENANG, COLOMBO, BOMBAY, ADEN, SUEZ, PORT SAID and MALTA.—Last tender leaves Customs Jetty 9.30 a.m. Tuesday, June 6, 1939. Hand packages only accepted by the Tender. Heavy baggage received into Lighter at Customs Jetty between 2 and 3 p.m. on Monday, June 5, Customs Permit required for any nailed cases. For Freight and Passage Apply to:—Mackinnon, Mackenzie & Co., Agents, 27 The Bund. No. 11428. 6-6

CONTE VERDE June 7. VENICE and TRIESTE via HONGKONG, MANILA, SINGAPORE, COLOMBO, BOMBAY, PORT SAID.—For passages and Freight apply to Lloyd Triestino, Shanghai, 26 The Bund. Tel. 16885. Tel. Lloydiano. 6-6

GLENSHIEL June 8. LONDON, ROTTERDAM, HAMBURG and ANTWERP via HONGKONG and STRAITS.—Jardine, Matheson & Co., Ltd., Agents, Glen Line Ltd. Tel. 15290. 8-6

C. OF PITTSBURG June 9. HAVRE, LONDON, ROTTERDAM, HAMBURG and GLASGOW.—The Ellerman Line steamer City of Pittsburg is due to sail for Havre, London, Rotterdam, Hamburg and Glasgow on June 9, 1939, daylight. Lacey and Cannan, Ltd. Tel. 12854, (3 Lines). 8-6

AGAMEMNON June 10. MARSEILLES CASABLANCA, LONDON, ROTTERDAM, HAMBURG and GLASGOW.—For Freight and Passage, apply to Butterfield & Swire, 21 French Bund. Tel. 82020. 10-6

BHUTAN June 13. MARSEILLES, CASABLANCA, HAVRE, LONDON, HULL, HAMBURG, ROTTERDAM and ANTWERP via HONGKONG, SINGAPORE, PENANG, COLOMBO, BOMBAY, ADEN, PORT-SUDAN, SUEZ and PORT SAID. —For freight and Passage, Apply to Mackinnon. Mackenzie Agents, 27 The Bund. Tel. 11428. 13-6

DUISBURG June 16. GENOA, ROTTERDAM and HAMBURG via PORTS.—(Capt. A. Becker), on or about June 16, 1939. For freight and passage, please apply to Hamburg-Amerika Linie, Filiale Shanghai, 20 Canton Road. Tel. 18709. 16-6

COBURG June 18. MARSEILLES, ROTTERDAM, HAMBURG and BREMEN via SAIGON, KOHSICHANG, SINGAPORE and PORT SAID.—For freight and passage apply to Melchers & Co., general agents, 210-214 Kiukiang Road. Tel. 15566. 18-6

AMERICA

LAURA MAERSK June 16. LOS ANGELES and via PANAMA to NEW YORK, BOSTON, PHILADELPHIA, BALTIMORE, SAVANNAH and NORFOLK.—For Freight and Passage apply to Melchers & Co., Agents, Maersk Line, 210-214 Kiukiang Road. Tel. 15566. 16-6

AUSTRALASIA

NANKIN June 9. (From Shanghai) RABAUL, BRISBANE, SYDNEY and MELBOURNE via JAPAN and PORTS.—Mackinnon, Mackenzie & Co., Agents, E. & A. S. S. Co., Ltd. No 27 The Bund. Tel. No. 11428. 9-6

Yesterday's Arrivals

Name	From	Consignees
Ariadne Moller	Tientsin	C.F.S.S.
Esang	Hongkong	Jardine
Haraldsvang	C'wangtao	K.M.A.
Monte Piana	Hongkong	Lloyd T.
Tembien	Ningpo	C.I.N.
Sanko M.	Tientsin	M.B.K.
Tyosa M.	Keelung	O.S.K.
Blackheath	Japan	H.G.&R.
Tranion	Hongkong	Dodwell
Conte Verde	Hongkong	Lloyd T.
Liwo	Chitung	Jardine
J'phine Moller	Tientsin	S. Kouroff
Tungwo	Hsinkong	Jardine
Ranchi	Japan	Mackenzie
Hangsang	Tientsin	Jardine
Haiping	Tientsin	Yuen Fong
Talien	Tsungming	Wan Woo
Elbhof	Wenchow	Carlowitz
Heini	Haimen	G.F.E.
Nagasaki M.	Japan	N.Y.K.
Moni Rickmers	Hongkong	Rickmers
Norse Carrier	Keelung	Y.K.K.
Seizan M.	Keelung	Showa S.S.
Kiangting	T'lungkong	Foo Hwa
Wusuch	Hsinkong	B.&S.
Com. Paolini	Wenchow	I.C.R.N.
Patti	Sanhokong	C. Chieri
H.M.S. Tern	Cruise	—
Karsten	Hsinkong	Chin Dah

Yesterday's Departures

Name	Flag	Despatcher
Tjisalak	Neth.	J.C.J.L.
Enderta	Ital.	C.I.N.
Hansi	Ger.	G.F.E.
Sandro Sandri	Ital.	W.T.K.
Behar	Br.	Mackenzie
Tejo	Port.	I.C.R.N.
H.M.S. Ladybird	Br.	—
Karsten	Ge.	Chin Dah
Marly	Nor.	O. Thoreson
Tangyang M.	Jap.	N.K.K.
Dairen M.	Jap.	D.K.K.
Helga Moller	Br.	Mollers'
Isabel Moller	Br.	K.M.A.
Delagoa M.	Jap.	N.Y.K.

Men-of-War in Port

Name	Flag	Type	Berthed
Birmingham	Br.	Cr.	B.N.B.
Cricket	Br.	Gbt.	Y.P.D.W.
Mantis	Br.	Gbt.	Y.P.D.W.
Scorpion	Br.	Gbt.	B.N.B.
Augusta	Am.	Cr.	B.N.B.
Canopus	Am.	S/Dep.	31 B.
Oahu	Am.	Gbt.	U.S.N.B.
Pecos	Am.	Oil/T.	G.I.
Bulmer 222	Am.	Dest.	28/29 B.
Edsall 219	Am.	Dest.	28/29 B.
Parrott 218	Am.	Dest.	30/30a B.
Stewart 224	Am.	Dest.	30/30a B.
Sub. 36	Am.	Sub.	30a. B.
Sub. 38	Am.	Sub.	30/30a B.
Sub. 40	Am.	Sub.	30a. B.
F. Garnier	Fr.	Gbt.	U.S.
L. Picquet	Fr.	Cr.	F.N.B.
B. Colleoni	Itl.	Cr.	J.N.B.

O.S.K.

Shanghai Sailings

For Keelung and Amoy
HUKUKEN MARU .... June 11
HUKUKEN MARU .... June 26

For Keelung and Takao
TYOSA MARU .... June 6
TYOSA MARU .... June 19

Hongkong Sailings

For South America via S. Africa
BUENOS AIRES MARU June 22
ARGENTINA MARU ... July 19

For South America via E. & S. Africa
AFRICA MARU .... July 7
HAWAII MARU .... Aug. 2

For Bombay
MELBOURNE MARU .. June 17
*MANSEI MARU .... July 5

Keelung & Nagasaki Sailings

For Haiphong, Saigon and Bangkok
SAIGON MARU .... June 17

For Manila, Cebu and Davao
TAKAO MARU .... June 24

Kobe Sailings

For New York via Panama Canal
*TOSAN MARU .... June 13

For European Ports via New York
*KINAI MARU .... June 24
*TOKAI MARU .... June 8

For Australia and New Zealand
TOKYO MARU .... June 29

For West Africa
*SYUNKO MARU .... July 12

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via Vancouver
From Kobe
HIYE MARU ..... June 6

Orient-New York Line
via Los Angeles and Panama
NAKO MARU ..... June 20

Japan-Australia Line
via Hongkong and Manila
From Hongkong
ATUTA MARU ..... June 24

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London, Hamburg and Marseilles via Hongkong, Straits, Ceylon and Aden
HARUNA MARU .... June 13
KATORI MARU .... June 27

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NAGASAKI MARU .. June 5
SHANGHAI MARU .. June 7
NAGASAKI MARU .. June 10
SHANGHAI MARU .. June 12
NAGASAKI MARU .. June 15
SHANGHAI MARU .. June 17
NAGASAKI MARU .. June 20

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KASIMA MARU .... June 21
HAKONE MARU .... July 4

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C LAOMEDON June 2 Liverpool, Bromborough and Glasgow.
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C DEUCALION July 8 M'lles, Casablanca, London, R'dam, H'burg and Glasgow
ANTILOCHUS July 18 Havre, Liverpool and Bromborough.
A PATROCLUS July 22 M'lles, London, Rotterdam and Glasgow

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ms. Triton	left	Hamburg	Apr. 30, due Shanghai June	15
ms. Tarn	left	Hamburg	June 29, due Shanghai July	16

Homewards

For Casablanca, Antwerp, Rotterdam, Hamburg and Oslo via Hongkong Singapore and Port Said

ms. Tamerlane	loads Shanghai	June	30
ms. Triton	loads Shanghai	July	24
ms. Tarn	loads Shanghai	Aug.	18

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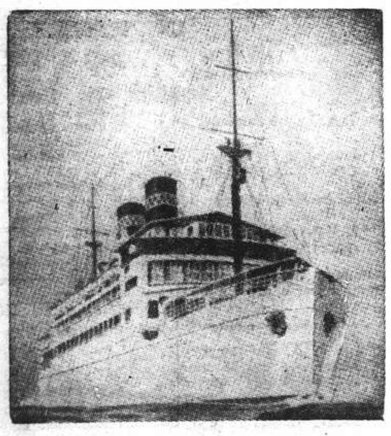

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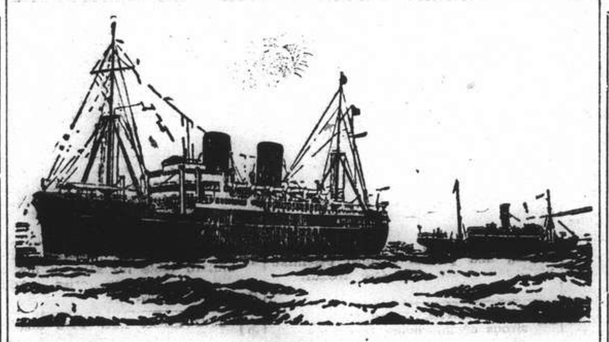

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	20	RANPURA	17,000
	27	‡*BEHAR	6,100
July	4	RAWALPINDI ..	17,000
	11	*SOUDAN	6,700
	18	CHITRAL	15,000
Aug.	1	CORFU	15,000
	15	CANTON	16,000
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Steamers	Commanders	Lv. Shanghai via Japan	Leaves Hongkong	Arrives Sydney
TANDA	M. B. Skinner		June 3	June 22
NANKIN	E. T. Pilcher	June 9	June 30	July 19
NELLORE	H. C. Stratford	July 11	Aug. 4	Aug. 23

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Outgoing passengers will embark on the tender "SCOT I" leaving the M.M. Jetty (Quai de France) Tuesday June 6 at 7.15 a.m.

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mv. DUISBURG	June 16 1939.	Genoa, Rotterdam, Hamburg.
mv. SAUERLAND	June 27 1939.	Genoa, Rotterdam, Hamburg.

Outward vessels latest movements:

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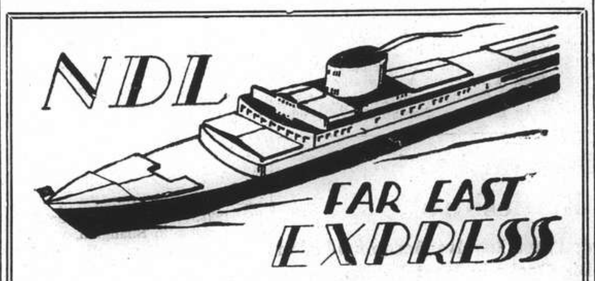

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Singapore's Strong Air Defences

Governor Defends Decision Not to Evacuate Populace During War

Singapore, June 4.

"Critics of the Government's decision not to evacuate civilians from Singapore's congested areas in the event of an emergency have overlooked the very material fact that the anti-aircraft defences of Singapore are already good and are rapidly becoming very good," declared Sir Shenton Thomas, Governor of the Straits Settlements and High Commissioner of the Malaya States, speaking at a meeting of the Federal Council at Kuala Lumpur, capital of the Federated Malay States.

"Our plans for A.R.P. in Singapore, and indeed Malaya, are based on the best possible technical advice and have received the approval of the General Officer Commanding, Major-General W.G.S. Dobbie.

"It is obvious that there is much less inducement to an enemy to attack the centres of population in the F.M.S. than in some other parts of Malaya. For this reason the G.O.C. considers, and I agree with him, that it is not necessary in the present circumstances to do more in the F.M.S. than to impress on people the elementary principle of self-protection in an air attack, which is to get indoors and stay indoors.

Vulnerable Points

"A list of vulnerable points, essential for the purposes of defence, has been drawn up by the G.O.C. and arrangements for safeguarding them have been made. The fact that they are still incomplete is due to the many revisions that have been necessary in the list, which, however, is now final."

Sir Shenton Thomas referred to the safeguarding of women and children by evacuation or other means. It was clearly impossible to arrange for any person to be moved for safety's sake from any one area to another, so long as the area to be attacked was unknown. Premature evacuation might result in persons being moved from an area which was not attacked to an area which was.

"The enemy's intentions must be known before people can be removed from the threat of his activities" Sir Shenton added. "In the meantime, Major-General Dobbie does not consider that any scheme for evacuating any part of the population of Malaya from one area to another is justified.

"The safeguarding of women and children whose menfolk have been called up for defence is a different matter and has been fully examined by the State Defence Committees. State concentration schemes have been worked out and are ready to be put into operation. We propose also to take legal powers to arrange for billeting if necessary."

Air Raid Precautions

Regarding air raid precautions, Sir Shenton Thomas said: "The first thing is to get a few facts firmly fixed in our minds. Malaya is very fortunately situated geographically, surrounded as she is by countries with Great Britain are cordial. An air attack can therefore, as things are today, only be launched from the sea, from aircraft-carriers, by machines neither very numerous nor very capacious nor of very long range.

"In planning an attack an enemy must therefore take into account not merely the possible loss of some of his aircraft, but also the possible loss of his aircraft-carriers or such damage to them as will make it impossible for machines to land on them or to be released from them. The Royal Air Force in Malaya has already a number of machines far exceeding in speed and range any that can be launched from an aircraft-carrier, and this number is being steadily increased. (Malaya has four R.A.F. squadrons, all based on Singapore).

"It is reasonable to hope therefore that an enemy aircraft-carrier would be attacked before she could approach sufficiently close to the coasts of Malaya to enable her to release her machines; or that if she succeeded in this approach, she could and would be found and attacked before her machines returned and she could get away. Speaking in terms of naval vessels, an aircraft-carrier is vulnerable.

China, No Parallel

"As things are today, therefore, it is impossible to conceive air attacks on Malaya with the frequency or on the scale that has been experienced in China or Spain or that might be experienced in England.

"Their frequency depends entirely on the ability of the carriers to get and keep within range: their scale must be restricted by the limited weight-carrying capacity and number of the machines that a carrier can accommodate.

"It must be supposed therefore that if by chance an enemy found himself able to make an attack by air, he would concentrate on inflicting the greatest possible military damage and would not waste precious metal in bombing civilian towns which experience everywhere has shown to be fruitless.

"It may be said that an enemy will first establish a near-by base, on land. He would certainly be opposed in any such attempt, and he might succeed or he might not. I can only say that no such base exists today."—Reuter.

Merle Oberon Marries Alexander Korda

British Film Star Weds Man Who Discovered Her

Cannes, June 3.

The British film star, Miss Merle Oberon, today married the man who first recognised her capabilities as an actress—Mr. Alexander Korda, the well-known British producer. The ceremony took place at the Town Hall at Antibes, near here.

Born in Hungary 45 years ago, Mr. Korda is one of the first producers of British talking films to win for them a world-wide reputation, and is also one of the first to adopt the star system for building up actors and actresses. Among his successes are "The Private Life of Henry VIII" and "Catherine the Great."

Miss Oberon, who is 28, was given her first chance in pictures by Mr. Korda. She was born in Tasmania, where she spent the first seven years of her life, and went to England for the first time at the age of 17 after some years spent in India.—Reuter.

In the Russian Colony

By "Stroy"

Sponsored by a Russian newspaper in Paris, a Russian journalist recently made a tour of the Dutch East Indies, travelling among the islands of Bali, Borneo, Sumatra and Java. The purpose of his trip was to investigate the social and financial status of Russian emigrants dwelling in the isles, and he returned with the surprising news that they lead a much better life, on the whole, than their kinsmen in China and the Philippines. In the latter country the Russian emigrants are forced, by necessity, to work at the same level as the natives on the American plantations, and the climate, unsuited as it is to the Russian physique, has led to some illnesses and even death.

In the Dutch East Indies, on the other hand, there is no question of manual labour for the Russians who, on arrival were accepted as white men and were treated accordingly, any mixing with the natives being highly discouraged. Technicians and engineers have found employment along their own lines, former officers have entered the business and commercial fields as clerks etc., and some emigrants have even managed to acquire property and have started a new life.

All in all, the majority are well-satisfied with their lot. There is a good scattering of Russian residents among the principal towns but it is difficult to estimate their exact number. The majority receive a high remuneration and, after a sufficiently long period, retire with a tidy pension. Many of them have long ago acquired Dutch citizenship and one has even been appointed governor of a certain district on the island of Bali. There he not only supervises the whole district and decides important questions, but also acts as the supreme judge for the natives. One Russian has for many years been the manager of a firm whose duty it is to look after the volcanoes in the neighbourhood. His responsibilities are evidently not very trying as volcanoes do not require a great deal of attention. He is in charge of the seismographic apparatus, draws up graphs, and, on the whole, is very content with his position.

Little Worry

Specialists like doctors and engineers with University diplomas have little to worry about from the business point of view. Not so with the artistic set, who, once they had settled down, had to depend on occasional performances for their livelihood. The public demanded variety (who doesn't?) and the musicians, actors and actresses had to do their best to satisfy them.

Well-respected by the Dutch inhabitants, the Russian emigrants, ever since their arrival, have entered into the social life of the islands and not at all do they feel themselves strangers. Some years ago the Russian community of Bandong, Java, founded a club of their own. Practically all of them subscribe to Russian newspapers and, by means of correspondence, keep ties with kinsmen in other countries unbroken.

Archbishop Victor, Head of the Russian Orthodox Mission in Peiping has laid down a decree forbidding the alteration of the text of any prayer used in the churches. After the Revolution the text of some of the prayers have been changed in different ways by people with differing beliefs in means of government. Even some of the Psalms of Davids have had new words substituted for old ones. In his decree, Archbishop Victor quotes from some of the altered texts and, on the whole, demands the reading of prayers as they were read before the Revolution.

The head of the Russian community in Shanghai, Mr. Charles Metzler, recently gave a reception on the premises of the French Club in honour of the Russian Chamber of Commerce, of which he is the honorary president. During the reception opinions were voiced on current business topics. Mr. Metzler expressed the conviction that Russian firms in Shanghai would continue to grow and prosper under the guidance of the Russian Chamber of Commerce.

Brutal Son

By old Russian tradition the winter theatrical season is always followed by a similar summer season. In Russia open air evening performances were given in clubs, public gardens, summer pavilions and anywhere else where they could be accommodated. In spite of Shanghai's adverse climatic conditions (the rainy season extends into the beginning of summer) Russians here uphold this tradition, especially since many actors and actresses left without work must necessarily earn their bread and butter. We have already mentioned in these columns that the Russian Club on Avenue Foch has erected a special out-door stage with spacious seating accommodations. The opening of the Summer Theatre was held there last Saturday. A one-act musical drama, "The Queen of Sheba" and a farce, "Naughty Girl" were shown, and Mr. Alexander N. Vertinsky sang some songs in his inimitable manner.

A family affair was aired in the 2nd District Court in the French Concession during last week. A young Russian was brought up before the judge for hitting his mother with a stick during a quarrel. The complainant begged the judge not to send her son to prison but merely to impress upon him the fact that he could not treat his mother in such an inhuman manner, especially since she has to earn her own money to support herself and does not in any way depend upon her son for her living. In China filial loyalty is of paramount importance and the Chinese judge took the matter very seriously. He questioned the mother concerning her son's education and then told the latter that a son's disloyalty to his parents was not only punishable by law but also by God, and that if the defendant ever committed a similar crime he would receive double or even treble punishment. He also emphasized the fact that the defendant should provide material support for his aged mother.

The Russian press, Soviet as well as emigrant, noted the 135th anniversary of the birth of the famous Russian composer Michael Ivanovich Glinka. Glinka, who was born in 1804 and died in Berlin in 1857, is looked upon as the creator of Russian national music and the Russian opera. The best known of his operas are "A Life for a Tsar" and "Rousslan and Ludmila". He has also written many songs which have been adopted by the people and in no time, have become known to Russians everywhere. Today the opera, "A Life for a Tsar" which was banned in Russia after the Revolution has, surprisingly been renewed, although its name has been changed to that of the leading personality of the opera, "Ivan Soussanin".

The Holiday Call

In the Russian Technical Society Col. N. G. Dronnikoff read an interesting lecture on "Modern Aerial Bombs, their action, methods of propelling and means of projection." At the Russian Business College Mr. V. N. Hrustalev made a speech on two famous 20th Century poets, Alexandre Block and N. Goumileff.

Russian newspapers continue to be filled with notices, advertisements and information on the various seaside resorts to be found near Shanghai. Tsingtao has been and still remains the most popular of them amongst the Russian community. In spite of the increase in cost of living there, a large number of vacationers are expected there this summer. Many Japanese are also expected to go there for the summer holidays.

Other beaches that Russians also go to, are those of Dairen and Port Arthur. A great deal has been written about Chefoo where a "Russian House" has been opened catering to Russian emigrants who cannot afford to stop at expensive hotels. Situated on the sea-side and surrounded by a garden, the "Russian House" has its own private beach. If one wishes one can live there as in a hotel, or otherwise can merely take a room and obtain food from the Russian-owned restaurants to be found in the neighbourhood. Prices in Chefoo are very reasonable and one is ensured of peace and quiet. Besides these places, some may visit the estate of George M. Yankovsky, known as "Loukomorie" which is situated near the town of Ompo in Korea, where one of the chief sports indulged in, is hunting. Many mineral hot springs are to be found there and the climate reminds one of Far Eastern Siberia.

Registration

On May 30, the Chinese Municipality of Shanghai inserted notices in all the Russian newspapers to the effect that all Russian Emigrant organizations without exception, and all national, educational, professional and industrial unions must be registered at the Russian Emigrants' Committee not later than June 15. Those organizations and the members thereof who are not registered by that date will not be able to obtain Chinese papers and will not be recognized or given aid to by the Emigrants' Committee.

Last Wednesday one of the city's leading Russian sportsmen, Mr. G. A. Stepanoff gave a party at his house for the leading Russian athletes of the city. Mr. I. C. Teterev made a speech on the "Hygiene of Sport" and, later, all present discussed the programme for the coming season.

Beginning on Thursday, June 8, at the Lyceum Theatre will be presented the dramatic troupe of the Art Theatre which has recently arrived from Harbin. At the head of the troupe are Mr. A. C. Orlov and Mrs. C. M. Vairlen. Some of the most popular plays of Russian playwrights will be given to Shanghai's theatre-going public. The troupe has brought all the stage props, decorations and scenery that will be required.

Musical circles in Shanghai received with great sorrow the tragic news of the death in Tientsin of the young musician Roman Stoupel who succumbed after an operation for appendicitis. Son of the well-known cellist, Mr. I. M. Stoupel, he was educated in the St. Petersburg conservatory under Professor Brick. Thirty-three years of age, Leader of the orchestra at the Tientsin Country Club, Mr. R. Stoupel is survived by his wife and a month-old daughter.

A Splendid Achievement

The fifth anniversary of the Russo-Chinese Credit Co-operative Society was celebrated at the Russian House on Wei-hai-wei Road. This society was formed by young Russians, most of whom had graduated from the Cadet Corps of Habarovsk and who, in 1922, had to evacuate from Vladivostok to Shanghai, where they completed their education. An interesting point about the Society was that, once they had established it, the young men had to get down and start to learn the means of running it. Last year their nett profit came to $6,718 and the annual balance, $31,000. The Co-operative Society does not aim at high profits but rather prefers to have a sound basis from which it can extend help to its members when required. At the dinner, which attracted all the active members of the Society, Mr. E. N. Shendrikoff said a few words in memory of M. Auguste Vilden, French Consul General and lately Ambassador to China, who, in 1922-3 helped a great deal in moulding the future of the Russian refugees in Shanghai. The Chairman of the Board of Directors is Mr. G. I. Antonoff.

From Tsingtao comes the sad news of the death from double pneumonia of Mr. M. P. Belov who was very popular among the Russian community of that city. Seriously wounded in the Civil War he stayed in the front lines of the White Army until the evacuation from the Maritime Province. Since 1923 Mr. Belov lived in Tsingtao where he took a large part in religious and charitable activities. He did a great deal towards the building of a new church, the completion of which he has so sadly been deprived of seeing.

Sourabaya Naval Dockyard to be Enlarged for New Battleships

Holland's Building Plans Involve Accommodation At Base; Three Big Docks in West Pacific

Sourabaya, June 4.

The proposal to build three battleships for the Netherlands East Indies will involve increasing the size of the dockyard at the naval base at Sourabaya, Java, about 700 miles from Britain's £20,000,000 Singapore base, sufficiently to accommodate capital ships.

With the opening of the Singapore Naval Base dockyard last year and the proposal to build a large dock at Sydney, this means that two non-totalitarian nations will have three docks capable of taking capital ships—all within a stretch of 5,000 miles along the western Pacific.

The amount to be set apart for the Netherlands East Indies battleship programme will be 300,000,000 guilders, for which a Bill will shortly be present to the Netherlands. Of that amount, 75,000,000 guilders will be for necessary extensions to the naval base at Sourabaya.

The proposal to build battleships came as unexpected news in the Netherlands East Indies itself, where, however, the newspapers have for some time been urging the necessity for them.

From a reliable source in Holland, the Batavia newspaper, "Java Bode," understands that the new warships will be of "small" battleship type, of 25,000 tons and capable of a speed of 32 knots. Although not as strong as full-sized battleships, this type will be faster. These warships, it is claimed, will in armament and speed surpass the ships of similar size in any navy of the world. This type is regarded as ideal for the defence of the Netherlands Indies, as it is not expected that any country would pit its whole fleet against the Netherlands East Indies.

Java newspapers regard this naval expansion policy of clear proof that Holland does not consider the Indies should provide all the defence necessary to retain the Colony for the homeland. It has already been decided to increase the naval strength of the Indies by six 8,000-ton cruisers during the next three years.

At present there are only two cruisers based on Sourabaya, the Java and the de Ruyter. One new one is under construction and another is to be started next year. There are also the 3,450-ton flotilla leader Tromp, eight destroyers and 12 large submarines. Last year there were one flotilla leader and four destroyers being built and there were proposals for the increase of the submarine fleet to 18.—Reuter.

Albania Given New Constitution

Tolerance of Religious and Cultural Freedom: Leading Articles Announced

Rome, June 3.

Tolerance of all religions and cultural freedom is guaranteed the Albanian people in the new Constitution given them today by King Victor Emanuel III.

The main articles of the Constitution provide that:—

The State of Albania is governed by a constitutional monarchy. The throne is hereditary according to the Salic Law and belongs to King Victor Emanuel's dynasty.

The Albanian flag is red with a two-headed eagle and the sign of the fasces.

The official language is Albanian.

Legislative power is in the hands of the King, who will govern in collaboration with the Fascist and Corporative Superior Council.

Executive power rests in the King's hands alone.

Judiciary matters are left wholly to the King, who may delegate them to a special judiciary body.

Interpretation of the law, compulsory for all, is reserved for the legislative authorities.

The organisation of communal and provincial associations is governed by law.

The Fascist and Corporative Superior Council to which reference is made is composed of members of the Central Committee of the Fascist Party in Albania and of the Central Committee of Corporative Economy. The President and Vice-President of the Superior Council are appointed by the King himself. The Council's sessions are public. The King may refuse to approve laws voted by the Council and may demand second debates on them.

The new Constitution will enter into effect as from tomorrow, June 4.—Havas.

The "Iron Lungs"

Canada Applies For 173 From Lord Nuffield

Ottawa, June 4.

Canadian hospitals have responded enthusiastically to Lord Nuffield's offer to supply "iron lungs" free to every hospital in the British Empire.

The number of applications so far is 173, but four of the nine provinces have yet to be heard from. The applications are being received by the Canadian Department of National Health which has undertaken to forward them to Lord Nuffield.—Reuter.

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An eagle captured in the Alps had its leg broken during the process, and since it was obviously suffering the local vet. amputated the broken leg and substituted a skilfully made wooden one. The bird apparently bore the operation well, and now quite happily jumps about on its artificial leg and shows its gratitude to the vet. It is kept in a cage at Aesta railway station in Italy.

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